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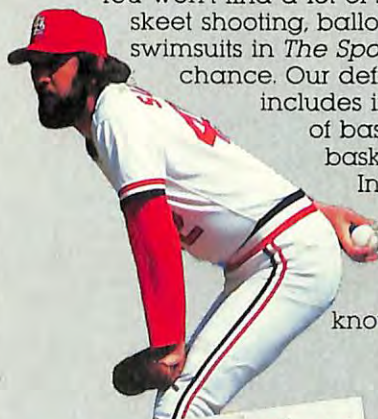
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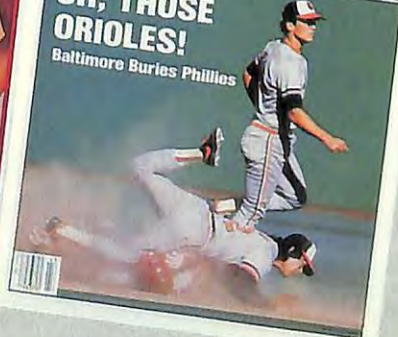
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Number of Cars owned _____ 20 None ☐ -7

For each car currently owned, please indicate:

	First Car	Second Car	Third Car
b. Make (i.e. Oldsmobile, Mercury, Toyota, BMW)	_____ 21-	_____ 26-	_____ 31-
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- 8a. Do you or other members of your household plan to buy a car in the next 12 months?

Yes ☐ 36-1 No ☐ -2

b. If yes, will it be a:

Domestic Car ☐ 37-1

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Scotch whisky.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -4 46-47	Apertif & specialty wines.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -3 9-10
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Gin.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -7 52-53	Domestic Beer (regular).....	<input type="checkbox"/> -6 15-16
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Brandy or Cognac.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -x 60-61	Domestic champagne.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -0 23-24
Vermouth.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -y 62-63	Bottled natural spring or mineral waters.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -x 25-26
			None of these.....	<input type="checkbox"/> -y	

CHARACTERISTICS

11. Are you: Male ☐ 27-1 Female ☐ -2

12. Your age:

- Under 18..... ☐ 28-1 30-34..... ☐ -4 45-49..... ☐ -7 60-64..... ☐ -0
18-24..... ☐ -2 35-39..... ☐ -5 50-54..... ☐ -8 65 or over..... ☐ -x
25-29..... ☐ -3 40-44..... ☐ -6 55-59..... ☐ -9

13. What is your marital status?

- Single ☐ 29-1 Married ☐ -2 Widowed, Divorced, Separated ☐ -3

14. Which of the following best describes your present employment status?

- Employed Full-time ☐ 30-1 Employed Part-Time ☐ -2 Not Employed ☐ -3

If employed full or part time:

15a. What is your particular job called? _____ 31-

b. Does the job have a title? What is it? _____ 32-

c. Please indicate below the annual income you personally get from your job before taxes:

- Less than \$10,000 ☐ 33-1 \$15,000-19,999.. ☐ -3 \$25,000-\$34,999 ☐ -5 \$50,000 or more ☐ -7
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- Some High School or Less ☐ 34-1 Attended College Less than 1 year ☐ -3 College Graduate..... ☐ -5
High School Graduate..... ☐ -2 Attended College 1-3 years..... ☐ -4 Professional or Graduate
School After 4 year College ☐ -6

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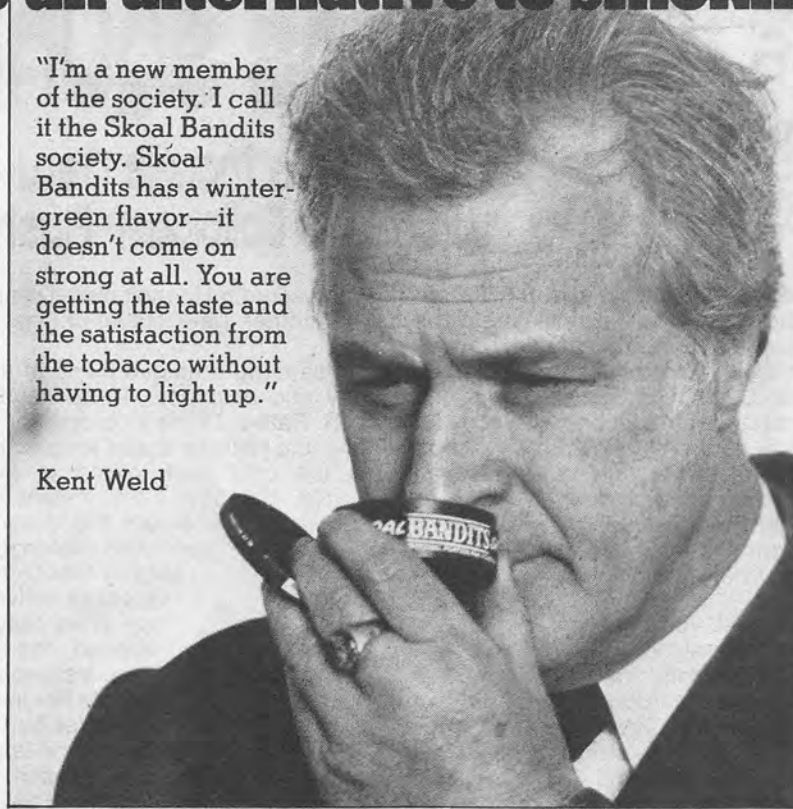
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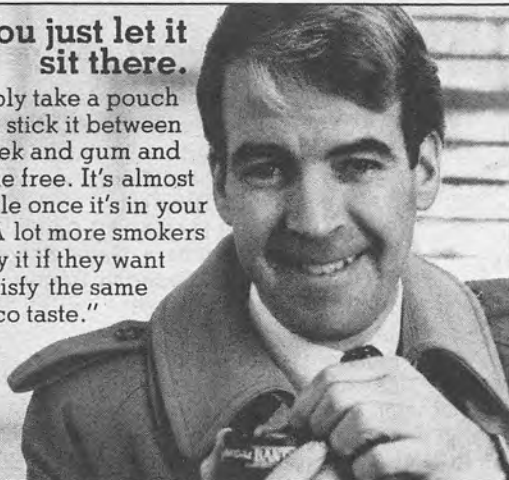
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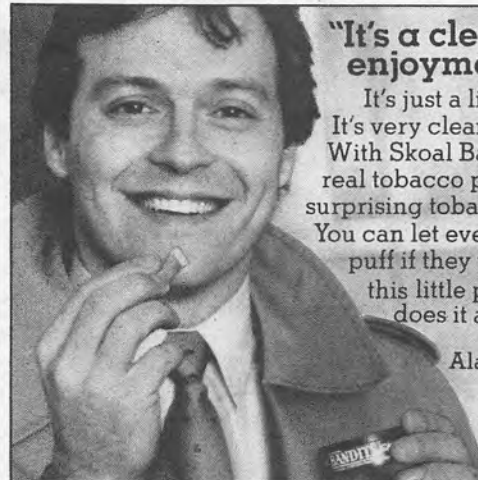
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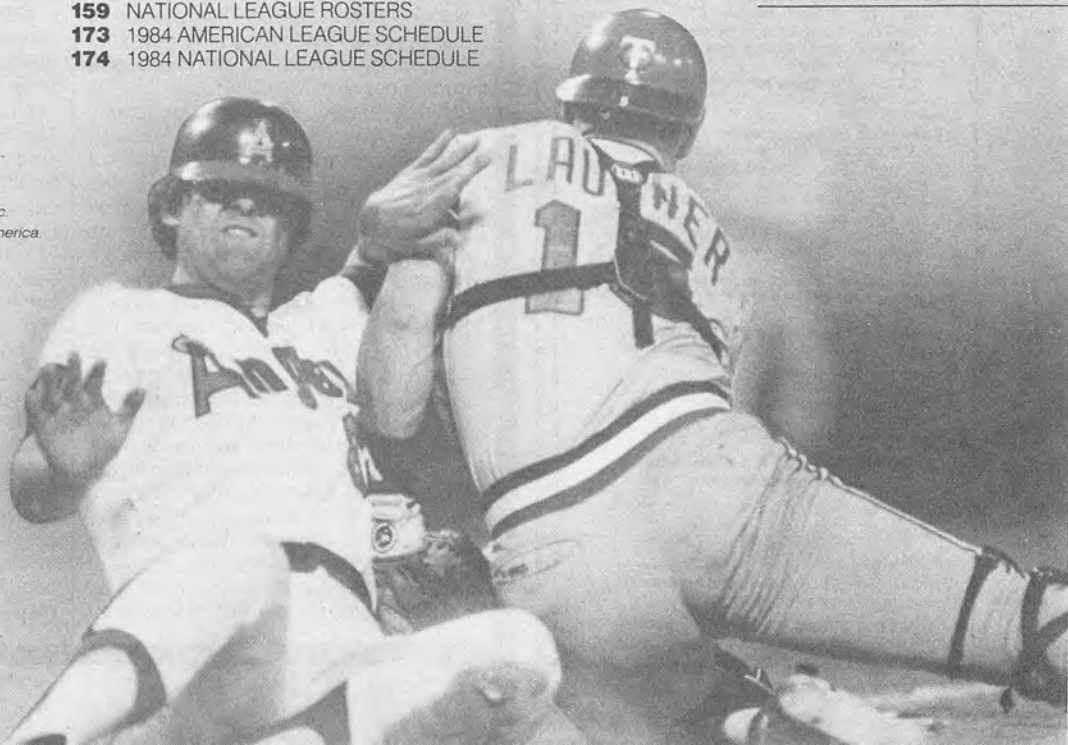
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The affairs of baseball continue after the last out of the season is recorded. Throughout the fall, the results of the voting by the sports writers for the major awards (Manager, Most Valuable Player, Cy Young, Rookie) are announced. In December, representatives of every major-league team convene. Their meetings produce clarification of rules, action on business proposals, and player transactions (trades, purchases, free-agent signings, etc.). Then come the hot-stove league rumors that fuel the optimism of each team's fans through the new year and up to the start of the interleague trading period in February.

Major-league baseball's popularity continues to grow. Last season's record attendance represented an increase of nearly one million spectators over the previous year's total. The 1983 season was a particularly rewarding one for the American League, which defeated the National League in the All-Star game for the first time in 12 years and in the World Series for the first time in five tries. The California Angels' Fred Lynn made the 50th All-Star classic memorable by belting the first grand-slam home run in the game's history. And the Baltimore Orioles continued in their winning ways—more victories than any other team in the last 27 years—capturing their sixth pennant and third Series title since 1966.

Last season's major awards went to the following people: Tommy Lasorda of the Los Angeles Dodgers and Tony LaRussa of the Chicago White Sox (Man-

agers of the Year), Cal Ripken of the Orioles and Dale Murphy—for the second straight time—of the Atlanta Braves (Most Valuable Players), LaMarr Hoyt of the White Sox and John Denny of the Philadelphia Phillies (Cy Youngs), and Darryl Strawberry of the New York Mets and Ron Kittle of the White Sox (Rookies of the Year).

The past season was a record-setting one for the Phils' Steve Carlton and the Houston Astros' Nolan Ryan, who shattered Walter Johnson's 55-year-old strikeout mark; for the San Diego Padres' Steve Garvey, who broke Billy Williams's National League consecutive-game playing streak; and for the Mets' Rusty Staub, who tied a couple of pinch-hit standards. Two of the game's most enduring talents, Carl Yastrzemski and Johnny Bench, called it quits at the end of 1983. Each had become a rarity in the sport: the player who spent his entire big-league career with one team, Yaz with the Boston Red Sox and Bench with the Cincinnati Reds.

Yet while the older stars faded out, new luminaries appear and brighten in the baseball firmament. The Oakland A's Mike Warren pitched a no-hitter in his ninth big-league start last September. The Yankees' Dave Righetti, just beginning to realize his vast potential, held the Red Sox hitless on the Fourth of July. The last out in that game was made by Wade Boggs—off to a record-fast start—who won the A.L. batting crown in only his second season with Boston. And Rickey Henderson of the A's stole 100 bases, ho hum, for the third time in four years.

The American League elected a new president, Dr. Robert W. Brown, to succeed Lee MacPhail, who retired after ten years in office. But a successor to commissioner Bowie Kuhn, who served for 15 years, has yet to be found. Whoever is hired by the club owners to fill the position will have to deal with the problem of drugs in the sport. One of Kuhn's last official acts as commissioner was to hand down one-year suspensions to four players for drug abuse.

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● Dale Murphy of the Atlanta Braves was named the National League's Most Valuable Player for the second time in as many years in 1983. Only three other league players—Ernie Banks, in 1958-59 with the Chicago Cubs; Joe Morgan, in 1975-76 with the Cincinnati Reds; and Mike Schmidt, in 1980-81 with the Philadelphia Phillies—have won the award in consecutive seasons. Five American League players have captured two straight MVP trophies: the Philadelphia Athletics' Jimmie Foxx (1932-33), the Detroit Tigers' Hal Newhouser (1944-45), and the New York Yankees' Yogi Berra (1954-55), Mickey Mantle (1956-57), and Roger Maris (1960-61).

Murphy, a 28-year-old center fielder, played in all 162 of his team's contests and batted .302. He led the league in runs batted in (121) and slugging percentage (.540) and was second in homers (36) and runs (131). He received 21 of a possible 24 first-place votes and 318 points. Center fielder Andre Dawson of the Montreal Expos, who was second in the league in RBIs (113), slugging percentage (.539), and hits (189), was the runner-up in the balloting. He collected one first-place vote and 213 points. Philadelphia third baseman Mike Schmidt received one first and 191 points. He was followed by third baseman Pedro Guerrero of the Los Angeles Dodgers, who had one first and 182 points.

● Shortstop Cal Ripken of the Baltimore Orioles was the American League MVP. The Rookie of the Year in 1982, Ripken, 23, played in every inning of every game for his team last season and batted .318 with 211 hits, 47 doubles, 121 runs, 27 homers, and 102 RBIs. He received 15 of a possible 28 first-place votes and 322 points to outdistance teammate Eddie Murray, who had 10 firsts and 290 points. Ripken praised Murray, saying that "I couldn't have won without Eddie hitting behind me," while Murray graciously stated that Ripken deserved the award. Chicago White Sox catcher Carlton Fisk was third in the voting with three firsts and 209 points.

Murphy



MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

player, team (first-place votes)	points
Dale Murphy, Atlanta Braves (21)...	318
Andre Dawson, Montreal Expos (1)...	213
Mike Schmidt, Philadelphia Phillies (1)...	191
Pedro Guerrero, Los Angeles Dodgers (1)...	182
Tim Lincecum, Montreal Expos...	83
Jose Cruz, Houston Astros...	76
Dickie Thon, Houston Astros...	67
Bill Madlock, Pittsburgh Pirates...	45
Al Holland, Philadelphia Phillies...	42
Terry Kennedy, San Diego Padres...	37
George Hendrick, St. Louis Cardinals...	33
Tony Pena, Pittsburgh Pirates...	25
John Denny, Philadelphia Phillies...	24
Mario Soto, Cincinnati Reds...	16
Darrell Evans, San Francisco Giants...	16
Rafael Ramirez, Atlanta Braves...	15
Jesse Orosco, New York Mets...	14
Lee Smith, Chicago Cubs...	8½
Al Oliver, Montreal Expos...	3
Jeff Leonard, San Francisco Giants...	2
Lonnie Smith, St. Louis Cardinals...	1½
Jody Davis, Chicago Cubs...	1
Keith Hernandez, New York Mets...	1
Bob Horner, Atlanta Braves...	1
Ozzie Smith, St. Louis Cardinals...	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cal Ripken, Baltimore Orioles (15)...	322
Eddie Murray, Baltimore Orioles (10)...	290
Carlton Fisk, Chicago White Sox (3)...	209
Jim Rice, Boston Red Sox...	150
Cecil Cooper, Milwaukee Brewers...	123
Dan Quisenberry, Kansas City Royals...	107½
Dave Winfield, New York Yankees...	85
Lou Whitaker, Detroit Tigers...	84
Lance Parrish, Detroit Tigers...	66
Harold Baines, Chicago White Sox...	49
Willie Upshaw, Toronto Blue Jays...	41½
Wade Boggs, Boston Red Sox...	25
LaMarr Hoyt, Chicago White Sox...	24½
Lloyd Moseby, Toronto Blue Jays...	21
Bob Stanley, Boston Red Sox...	11½
Alan Trammell, Detroit Tigers...	11
Greg Luzinski, Chicago White Sox...	9
Robin Yount, Milwaukee Brewers...	6
Ted Simmons, Milwaukee Brewers...	4
Richard Dotson, Chicago White Sox...	3½
Rudy Law, Chicago White Sox...	2
Ron Guidry, New York Yankees...	2
Jack Morris, Detroit Tigers...	2
Julio Cruz, Chicago White Sox...	1
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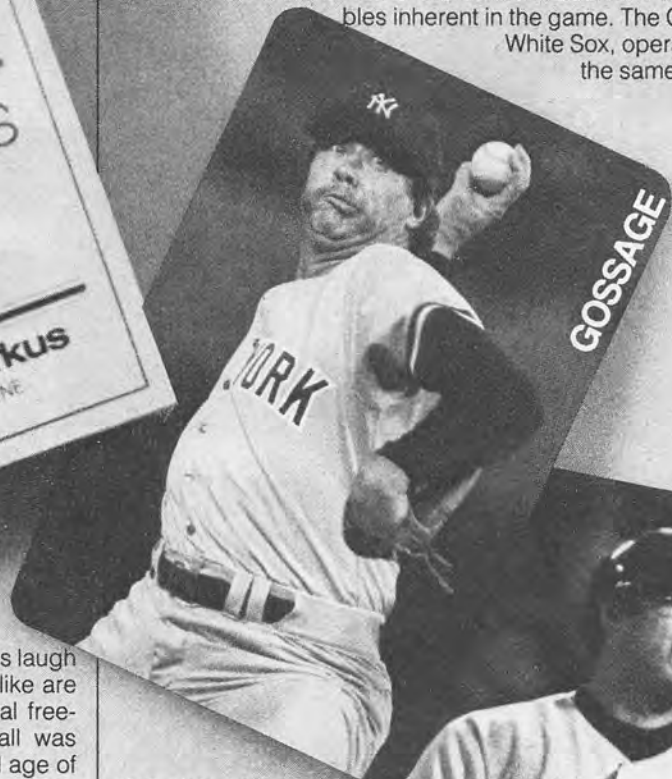
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Cinces, Bobby Grich, and Rod Carew all were free agents at the end of the 1983 season. All four signed on with the Angels again.

With increasingly rare exceptions, free agents who switch teams are players their old teams no longer wanted, at least not at the price it would cost to keep them. Free agents are no longer looked on as a panacea for whatever ails a team. They are now being sought to fill a specific need. The San Diego Padres felt a power-hitting first baseman was all they needed to be a legitimate pennant contender. So they signed Steve Garvey for well in excess of a million dollars a year. How were they to know that the durable Garvey, who would set a National League record for consecutive games played, would suffer the first major injury of his career and miss the last two months of the season? Such are the gambles inherent in the game. The Chicago White Sox, operating on the same theory,



GOSSAGE



JACKSON

There is an old saying among gamblers that the winners laugh and the losers say "Deal!" But winners and losers alike are beginning to say "Deal me out" in baseball's annual free-agent sweepstakes. Just eight years after baseball was dragged kicking and screaming into the enlightened age of liberated labor, one baseball owner was already proclaiming: "The age of free agency is just about over." By their actions, most of the others seem to agree with him.

It isn't over, but undeniably it's changed. The free-agent reentry draft is still with us, and may always be, but there are no young Reggie Jacksons out there, no straws waiting to stir the drinks. A catalog of the players for sale now reads like a parody of the inscription on the Statue of Liberty: "We send you our old, our sore of arm, our lame of knee..." Owners who would take a speculative plunge in the free-agent market now are advised to study, along with the batting averages, the actuarial tables and medical charts.

Why have things changed so quickly from the early years when talented young players were so eager to leap across the border to greener—and more—grass? Mostly it is because the owners have learned through trial and error the new rules to the grand old game. Most teams now either trade their potential free agents or re-sign them. They have discovered that it makes little sense to pay \$3 million for another team's second baseman when the same money will allow them to keep their own. Look no further than the California Angels, a team that was built with free-agent players, for proof. Such California stars as Brian Downing, Doug De-

thought one more starting pitcher would put them over the top. Floyd Bannister, after a shaky start, helped them do just that.

Pitching has always been the prime commodity on the free-agent market. Consider Bannister, who had never had a winning season in the majors but had led the American League in strikeouts his last year in Seattle. The left-hander had dozens of wealthy pursuers. Not among them were the teams that not only lack the cash or the will to chase somebody else's body beautiful, but can't even hold onto their own. Such clubs have found it expedient to trade their players before they lose them.

Bill Veeck, as usual, was one of the first owners to understand the new system. After the 1976 season, the then rela-

tively impoverished owner of the White Sox made two major trades. He sent relievers Goose Gossage and Terry Forster to Pittsburgh for Richie Zisk and traded shortstop Bucky Dent to the Yankees for Oscar Gamble. All of the players involved were eligible for free agency the next year. Since he knew he was not going to be able to sign them, Veeck was, in effect, renting Zisk and Gamble for a season. On those terms it was a spectacular success. Gamble hit 31 homers and Zisk 30, career highs for each, and the White Sox led their division into late August. The turnstiles clicked merrily and everyone got rich, including Zisk and Gamble, who left for greater wealth. Their new owners never got their money's worth as Veeck had. On the other hand, the White Sox still would have had nothing left to show for Forster, Gossage, and Dent had it not been for a throw-in on the Gamble deal, a right-handed pitcher named LaMarr Hoyt.

The Minnesota Twins have gone to the extreme of trading *all* their best players before they become eligible for free agency. Instead of renting mature players for a year, however, Twins' owner Calvin Griffith reseeds his farm system with the proceeds. Then, when the new sprouts are ready to come to full bloom, the process is repeated. It was not until he had lost Lyman Bostock, Larry Hise, Tom Burgmeier, and Bill Campbell that Griffith learned how he had to play the game. Obviously his was not the way to play to be a winner, and the Twins have been one of the biggest losers in the free-agency era.

Not the biggest losers, though. It doesn't take a Sherlock Holmes to identify the two biggest losers in the short history of free agency. In the five-year period from 1972 through 1976, the two best teams in baseball, without argument, were the Oakland A's and the Cincinnati Reds. Oakland won three straight world championships, added a fourth division title in 1975, and was still a strong second, two-and-a-half games behind Kansas City in 1976. Cincinnati's dominance in the National League extended back to 1970, when the Reds won their first of four pennants in seven years. Only once in that span did they fail to win a division title, and in 1975-76 they picked up the mantle the A's had dropped and won the World Series. Then, before you could say "dynasty," it was over. By the next year the Athletics had plunged into the basement. Five years after that the Reds were the worst team in the National League.

There can be no doubt of the cause: free agency. The A's couldn't and the Reds wouldn't retain the players who had made them champions. Charley Finley, the cantankerous owner of the A's, had seen it coming. He'd seen it because he himself had helped open the Pandora's box. At the end of the 1974 season he had neglected to fulfill what had appeared to be a minor clause in pitcher Catfish Hunter's contract, and the right-hander who was the mainstay of the A's mound staff was declared a free agent.

A year after that, pitcher Andy Messersmith of the Los Angeles Dodgers was declared a free agent in a landmark decision that finally allowed the players to throw off the yoke of the reserve clause that had bound them to their teams until death or a trade did them part. With the first reentry free-agent draft just months away, Finley hastily tried to sell off his top stars. With all the rancor that infested his club he knew he could never resign them. But commissioner Bowie Kuhn blocked the sales, and so Finley got nothing for Don Baylor, Joe Rudi, Rollie Fingers, Gene Tenace, Bert Campaneris, and Sal Bando. Baylor and Rudi went to California, Fingers and Tenace to San Diego, Campaneris to Texas, and Bando to Milwaukee. Not since Connie Mack broke up his Philadelphia A's in the early 1930s had a championship club been so quickly and thoroughly dismantled.

The impact of free agency on the A's was immediate, but it took much longer to affect the Reds. The world champions lost only pitcher Don Gullett—to the Yankees—that first year (1977). But two years later Pete Rose went, followed by Joe Morgan the next season. In 1981 the Reds lost Dave Collins in the draft and made a fire-sale deal for Ken Griffey to avoid losing him for nothing. Their destruction was complete.

But if the A's and Reds were the big losers in the era of free agency, who are the winners?

The New York Yankees, you say? That is the popular conception. Yet consider this. The Yankees had already won the American League pennant in 1976, the year before owner George Steinbrenner landed Reggie Jackson. And when Goose Gossage came aboard in 1978, the Yankees were already world champions and had the best relief pitcher in the league in Sparky Lyle. In fact, their new teammates were more dismayed than grateful that Steinbrenner had bought them what he considered to be pennant insurance. "What do we need Reggie Jackson for?" was the typical reaction at the time. Lyle, who had been the heart of the Yankees bullpen for six years and had appeared in 72 games in 1977, was deeply disturbed at the news that Gossage was coming. He knew there wasn't enough room in the bullpen for both of them, and he was right. He was gone a year later, to Texas. Gullett, who had posted a splendid 61-26 record over his last four years with Cincinnati, was plagued with arm trouble almost from the day he arrived in New York. He was 14-4 in his first season, but only 4-2 in 1978, and at the age of 27 had to call it a career.

That's not to say the Yankees reaped no benefits from free agency. Although they had won in 1976 without Jackson, it is probable they could not have won their championships in 1977-78 without him. Jackson hit 32 homers and drove in 110 runs his first season in pinstripes. In 1978 the numbers were 27 and 97. And it was in the 1977 World Series, when he hit three home runs in the final game and four in all, that Jackson won the sobriquet "Mr. October." Most important of all, by acquiring Jackson, Steinbrenner deprived Baltimore of his services. The Orioles, without Jackson's 32 homers, finished only three games behind the Yankees in 1977. Gossage, of course, was the most feared reliever in the game in his five-year hitch with the Yankees. And there was Tommy John, who won 43 games in his first two seasons in New York. But the Yankees did not make it to the World Series either year.

The point is that, yes, Steinbrenner spent wildly on the free-agent market and the Yankees won four division titles,

continued



OAKLAND A's



MORGAN

COLLINS

GULLETT

three pennants, and two World Series in five years. But he already had a fine team, and it is arguable that the Yankees might have done just as well if free agency did not exist.

Perhaps the California Angels were the big winners in the free-agent sweepstakes, then? A better choice than the Yankees, to be sure. If there is one team free agency created out of whole cloth, it is the Angels, a perennial second-division club. The Angels' owner, Gene Autry, like Steinbrenner, instantly saw the possibilities in free agency. Never before had it been possible for a team to acquire players of the stature of a Don Baylor, a Joe Rudi, or a Bobby Grich in the same year. To do so before the free-agent era, Autry would have had to decimate his team, and what would have been the sense of that? Now what did he have to lose but money? For the first year, 1977, it appeared Autry could have better spent his

money on a new guitar or a few buckets of oats for Champion, his horse. Rudi and Grich were both hurt and played less than half a season. Baylor hit 25 homers, but batted only .251. And the Angels finished fifth, still 28 games out of first.

Autry's response was to sign yet another free agent, Lyman Bostock, from the Minnesota Twins. Bostock hit .296, but his career ended tragically in late September of 1978 when he was shot to death in the back seat of a car in Gary, Indiana. The club's free-agent investment started to pay off that year. Baylor hit 34 homers with 99 runs batted in. Grich and Rudi came back to put in full seasons, and the club vaulted into second place.

The Angels added one key player the next year and went all the way to the top. The new man did not come directly through free agency, but was a by-product of it. Griffith had already lost Campbell and Bostock to the new monster on baseball's block. Now the insatiable beast had its eye on Rod Carew, the Twins' best player. Griffith knew he could never resign his seven-time batting champion.

So he got what he could for him, trading him to California for four players. Carew did not have a great year for the Angels in 1979,

GRICH

CAREW

but Baylor did and so did Grich. Both set career records in all three batting categories. Grich hit .294 with 30 homers and 101 RBIs. Baylor was even better. He batted .296 with 36 homers and 139 ribbies and was the American League MVP.

So the Angels had done it. They had used the new free-agent rules to buy a division title. But they did not buy permanence. By the next year they were back in sixth place. Autry had to go back to his checkbook two years later to ensure a

FREE AGENCY

second division title. This time he bought the one player who was a proven commodity as a free agent—Reggie Jackson. And Jackson came through with a banner season. The cash register rang as never before in Anaheim Stadium, and everyone got rich, especially Reggie Jackson.

There is no question that free agency, for the players, is everything they thought it would be. The owners win and the owners lose, but the players are eternal. Eternally grateful for free agency, that is.

Steinbrenner has discovered in recent years that spending millions for free agents does not guarantee happiness. He spent lavishly to bring such stars as Dave Winfield, Collins, Baylor, and Steve Kemp to the Bronx. Winfield has performed well, but the Yankees have won only a half a pennant—in the 1981 strike season—with him. Collins was a huge disappointment and was traded after a year.



BAYLOR

Kemp was injured, misused, and miserable in his first year.

Any free agent is a gamble, but gambling on pitching has proved to be the riskiest business. It's been that way right from the beginning, with Hunter.

Apparently on his way to the Hall of Fame after going 23-14 in his first year with the Yankees, Hunter developed arm trouble the next year, 1976, when he was 17-15 and ineffective in the World Series. He never pitched more than 143 innings in a season after that. Messersmith did an even bigger fade. In his last two seasons with the Dodgers he was 20-6 and 19-14. After signing with the Atlanta Braves, he was 11-11 in 1976 and won only seven more games over the next three years.

If timing is everything, no pitcher picked a better time to have a career year than Wayne Garland. After two mediocre seasons in the Baltimore Orioles' bullpen, Garland graduated to the starting staff in 1976 and posted a 20-7 record. He was that year's version of the Cabbage Patch Doll. Every owner had to have one, but there weren't enough to go around. In the rush to make him the richest pitcher in the game, the Cleveland Indians got there, if not first, at least with the most. Their reward—a 13-19 record in 1977. Then things really got bad. Garland developed a torn rotator cuff and has not been effective since.

Some pitchers had no excuse. The Los Angeles Dodgers, who pride themselves on their farm system, understandably have been cautious about acquiring free agents. The one year they took the plunge may have cured them of the habit

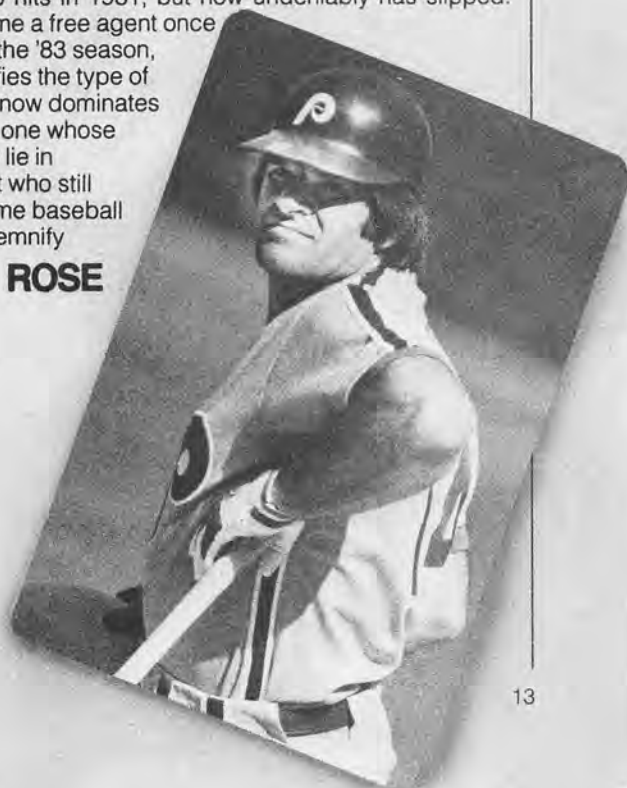
forever. In 1979, having lost Tommy John the year before, the Dodgers signed Dave Goltz, a starting pitcher from the Twins, and Don Stanhouse, a reliever from the Orioles, to megabucks contracts. With the Twins, Goltz had been a dependable workhorse who had won 14 or more games for five straight years. He had a career best of 20-11. With the Dodgers he was 9-19 the two years it took for them to decide this was not a match made in heaven. They ended up eating the balance of his contract. Stanhouse, who in two years with the Orioles had 13 wins and 45 saves, required only one season to convince the Dodgers they had erred. They paid him off and have not signed a free agent since.

Some pitchers have been worth every penny of what they've been paid. Gossage and Fingers had their greatest years after going through free agency. So, for a time, did Tommy John. The Houston Astros, on balance, had fair success with Nolan Ryan and Don Sutton. Ryan has never won more than 16 games for the Astros, and in his first season was only 11-10. But Houston made the playoffs for the first time that year, and in the strike season Ryan was a legitimate Cy Young candidate with his 11-5 record and 1.69 earned-run average. Sutton, who holds all the Dodger records for a right-handed pitcher, was 11-9 in the strike year and helped pitch the Astros to the second-half championship. But his kneecap was shattered by a pitched ball late in the season and he missed the playoffs against the Dodgers.

The National League has always been the more conservative of the two leagues, and that has definitely been the case in dealing with the perplexing new reality of free agency. No National League team has plunged so deeply and so often into the free-agent waters as the Yankees and Angels have done in the American League. Most N.L. teams, if they have dived in at all, have done so only after wading out cautiously to test the conditions.

The Philadelphia Phillies, whose farm system rates almost as high as the Dodgers, have made only one notable signing. That was Pete Rose, a special case. The Phils thought Rose would be the final piece in their puzzle, and they were right. In his first year with them, 1979, he hit .331 with 208 hits, and the next year, though he slipped to .282, the Phillies won the World Series. He bounced up to .325 with a league-leading 140 hits in 1981, but now undeniably has slipped. Rose became a free agent once again after the '83 season, and he typifies the type of player who now dominates the market: one whose glories may lie in the past but who still expects some baseball team to indemnify his future.

ROSE



In the aftermath of their 1983 world championship, the Baltimore Orioles are suddenly being besieged by copycats, who are echoing a familiar refrain—"We want to be like you."

Chicago manager Tony LaRussa, whose team was ousted by the Birds in the American League playoffs, was one of the first to go public, saying of Baltimore before the series: "This is an organization that does some things we'd like to do." That was a 180-degree departure from his position after a controversial one-run loss to Baltimore in August, when LaRussa labeled the Orioles "crybabies." Oakland manager Steve Boros joined the chorus after making a trade with the Birds—third baseman Wayne Gross for reliever Tim Stoddard—during the winter meetings in Nashville, declaring, "They're a club we'd like to emulate."

The word has filtered down as well. Tom Giordano, the Oriole director of player development and scouting, has noticed that "There seems to be a growing movement, especially in the last couple of years, to imitate the Orioles' way."

Naturally, with Baltimore sitting at the top, the trend has intensified. But it is by no means something new. The Orioles

have been a model of efficiency and success for some time. Nearly five years ago, Peter Bavasi, then president of the fledgling Toronto franchise, acknowledged that the so-called "Oriole Way" was the way for the Jays.

"The Orioles have a certain management style with a certain sense of vision," said Bavasi. "A lot of clubs spend a lot of money to get to the position where the Orioles perennially find themselves. We have emulated the style of the Baltimore organization, and we hope that some year we will be so blessed with success."

What is this "Oriole Way" that has everybody in baseball staring intently at the prototype? What is this system that has enabled Baltimore to register more victories than any team in baseball for the last 27 years, to win six pennants and three world titles since 1966, to become the object of its peers' profound admiration?

There is no easy answer, but an assessment must begin with what it is not. The Orioles have no patent on genius or on a secret, quick-fix formula. They do not empty their pockets to play checkbook baseball in an attempt to buy pennants. They, too, make mistakes.

What they do have is sound management, good people working throughout the organization, stability and consistency, foresight, creativity, and an informal, open style. Their philosophy and procedures are deeply rooted, instilled when the team first moved to Baltimore in 1954, refined and improved through 30 years, and still solid through the sweeping and even revolutionary changes that have occurred in baseball. It is this solid foundation that permits the Orioles to endure, to be a consistent contender, and to win it all, even during a season when:

- Their manager of 14½ years, Earl Weaver, retires and is replaced by Joe Altobelli.
- Their starting pitching is ravaged by injuries to Cy Young Award winners Jim Palmer and Mike Flanagan and by an off year by Dennis Martinez, the staff's biggest winner the previous season.

THE ORIOLES' WINNING STYLE

by Kent Baker
BALTIMORE SUN



- They never adequately solve a question at third base, where a rookie hopeful (Leo Hernandez) doesn't pan out and his replacement (Todd Cruz) bats .199.

- They undergo two seven-game losing streaks and one stretch with five players on the disabled list.

- They lose the opening game of both the league championship series and the World Series.

- They have virtually full-time platoons at five positions.

The answers, both in the recent past and beyond, lie at both the top and the bottom—with ownership and with the farm system. Almost everything in between seems to fall conveniently into place, by-products of the decisions made at the extreme ends.

Since its infant days in the American League, the Baltimore franchise has been owned by men with the wisdom to refrain from meddling in the day-to-day operation of the baseball personnel they have hired to conduct the business. Such a hands-off approach by ownership has enabled the Orioles to withstand almost staggering numbers of personnel losses, both on and off the field. A survey two years ago concluded that more than 50 ex-Oriole employees—from managers and coaches to general managers, administrators, and scouts—were scattered throughout other organizations, which reasoned that the way to adopt Oriole methods was to acquire Oriole people.

Jerold Hoffberger, the board chairman from 1965 through 1979, when he sold the club to Edward Bennett Williams, was a prime example of the laissez-faire leader.

"You have to start with good, professional management, people the caliber of Harry Dalton, Frank Cashen, Lee MacPhail, and Hank Peters," said Hoffberger of his general managers. "Without people like that, all the other fellows [in other departments] wouldn't be there. Then you let them work with no special orders," said Hoffberger, still a member of the Oriole board of directors. "And if they don't work, then fire them."

Hoffberger never sought headlines, much less tried to steal them. He was completely informed on everyday matters, but confined his public appearances to an occasional visit to the locker room to chat with Weaver or to shake a player's hand. Williams prefers more of the foreground, but still generally leaves the business of baseball to Peters and the remainder of his management team. "Good organization is the key" said Williams.

The lifeblood of the Orioles is a farm system that is treated with tender, loving care, nurtured and protected like a newborn baby. From below, the Orioles extract their strength, stockpile the resources that permit them to resist the big-money temptations of free agency, and summon people like Mike Boddicker—the savior of last year's injury-riddled pitching staff—Allan Ramirez, Bill Swaggerty, John Stefero, and Mike Young when the major-league club is sending distress signals. Their minor-league system is the tool which frees them from the necessity to make hasty and perhaps unwise trades, allows them to school players in the Oriole style from the start of their careers, and produces the uniformity and long-range consistency that are hallmarks of the organization. The farms were running short of crops when Peters arrived from Cleveland in 1976, but he and Giordano instantly recognized the danger and began rebuilding during a period when the major-league club was losing Wayne Garland, Bobby Grich, Reggie Jackson, Ross Grimsley, and Don Stanhouse to bigger bankrolls.

The most visible effect of the system at the major-league level is the Baltimore player's attention to fundamentals.

"As a rule, the other club doesn't beat you most of the time," said Jim Russo, a special assistant to Peters and the

club's chief advance scout. "You beat yourselves. Something the Orioles are great at is keeping that problem down to a minimum."

The reason is that everyone in the Oriole system, from Baltimore to the rookies at Bluefield, is grilled incessantly in the basics, from throwing to the proper base to running the bases correctly. And no manager, coach, or player at any level is accommodated a change at the expense of the system. They all do it alike.

"Those one-eyed cat games they play in spring training every day are boring just to watch," declared Hoffberger. "But they do it because fundamentals become reactions."

"That is a very important factor," added Weaver. "When you get players, they've already practiced these things three or four years. They don't have to adjust or do any learning."

That could also apply to Altobelli. From 11 years in the Baltimore minor-league system before he became the Giants' manager and then a Yankee coach, he was already well-versed in Oriole ways. Thus, he fulfilled a major requirement as the successor to Weaver—he already knew what training had gone before.

"Joe was just a natural," pointed out Peters. "So often, some teams make changes just for the manager. But we believe in that consistency throughout the organization. We don't know everything, and we consider recommendations, but we think the way we do it has paid off."

Another Oriole virtue is patience. It is almost an organizational doctrine that players remain on the farm until they are fully ready for the pressures of the big time. Only the rarest of Birds, like Cal Ripken, the American League's Most Valuable Player, are regulars at age 21. "We don't rush them," observed Peters. "All clubs and individuals go through their trying times, but you have to be patient with young players. We try to look at things long-range, because we want to continue to win tomorrow."

The seeds of the system were sown by Paul Richards, the manager who brought Baltimore its first taste of respectability, and Jim McLaughlin, the farm director who accompanied the team from St. Louis. Many of their ideas and practices are still being utilized alongside modern touches.

McLaughlin instituted record-keeping on all players in the system, the "double-check" system among the scouting staff, and an evaluation practice whereby a prospect was graded not only on his physical ability, but on "intangibles" such as motivation, drive, tenacity, and courage.

"Year after year, many clubs don't really keep track of accomplishment, therefore they don't know weaknesses," said McLaughlin. "You have to be scientific, but you also have to have imagination. We stressed to our scouts a line. On one side were the things easily discernible, on the other the intangibles. It didn't do a player who could hit a ball a country mile much good if he was lacking the intangibles."

The stress on quality individuals continues, whether the acquisition is via the farm system, a trade, or free agency. Occasionally, a bad apple surfaces, but if he doesn't conform to the betterment of the whole, he quickly becomes a former Oriole. The result is independence from the internal strife that besets so many other teams.

"It's an easygoing team," said the senior Oriole, Jim Palmer. "There isn't a lot of controversy. All those arguments between Earl and me really were minor. I think so much was made of them because there was so little else."

"The system that 'All work for the good of everybody' is kind of passed on. It perpetuates itself," noted Ken Singleton, a ten-year Oriole. "When I came, I was in the middle of my career, and guys like Brooks Robinson, *continued*

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Lee May, and Mike Cuellar were passing on the word. Now I'm a veteran, so it's part of my responsibility. And the time will come when it's the duty of Cal and Eddie (Murray). The feeling just keeps on going."

The transformations are sometimes eye opening. When Frank Robinson, who helped the Birds to three pennants in six years, arrived from Cincinnati, he was not bringing with him a perfect deportment record in the minds of some baseball people. But the marriage of Robinson and Baltimore was made in baseball heaven.

"I always felt we made good trades," mused Russo, who also arrived from St. Louis with the franchise. "The record speaks for itself that most of them were extremely beneficial to the Orioles."

The swap for Robinson, labeled an "old 30" by Reds' management at the time, may have been the all-time topper. "He had a reputation as a troublemaker," continued Russo, "but when he came to Baltimore, the man changed completely. He was not only good for us, we were good for him. I remember when the owner [Hoffberger] shook his hand. [Frank] was impressed, because that's the first time an owner had done that."

That type of homey touch and family atmosphere is another Oriole standard. Like fundamental baseball, that feeling is cultivated from the first day the player joins the organization. Everything is directed toward the well-being of the player, from a comprehensive manual that educates him on all-encompassing topics from dress codes to physical conditioning to the dangers of drugs and alcohol to vitamin programs and includes personal audio-visual tapes of his career.

"I don't know if we go the extra mile, but we do get personally involved with our players," explained Giordano. "We want to know if they're troubled by personal problems because we know if their minds aren't free of obstructions, that we can't expect them to perform at their best."

"I guess we kind of indoctrinate them," he added. "We never talk negatively to them, we treat them fairly, and kind of show them the way as they grow. We look at them like our own sons, and we let them know that we're here to help them reach their goal."

All these things may seem trivial to an outsider, but to the organization they are all segments of a master plan that creates not only a favorable image, but favorable results. "We've never considered a player an employee, but as part of the family, and I think that makes a tremendous amount of difference," said Russo. "One of our players might say, 'I'd like to play a helluva lot more,' but we think that's healthy. I don't think I've ever heard one say 'Play me or trade me.' It is just so important that we don't have malcontents and strife."

The closest any Oriole ever came to "Play me or trade me" was in 1969, when a reserve infielder, Chico Salmon, paraphrased it to mean exactly the opposite. The immortal words were: "Play me or bench me."

The administrative machinery is operated democratically, with Peters controlling the last word. Input is encouraged, authority is delegated, and final decisions are based on reason, not impetuosity. But even that is not hard and fast. When Russo recommended that outfielder Tito Landrum be made eligible for postseason play last year, Peters went along, although that meant the team would have only one spare infielder.

"I knew I was sticking my neck out," recalled Russo, "but it was one of those times I had a strong feeling."

Obtained from St. Louis, Landrum became an Oriole on August 31, the last day possible to qualify for the postseason

play. In the clinching game of the playoffs, he doomed the White Sox with a dramatic home run.

"As it turned out, that might have gotten us into the World Series," said Russo, "because we didn't relish seeing La-Marr Hoyt again the next day. It was a little thing, but when you put a lot of them together, it adds up to a big thing."

Singleton and Palmer believe the city itself is a contributor to the team's penchant for excellence. "Baltimore is just big enough, a big small town," said Singleton. "We had 15 guys on the '79 Series team back last year. Everybody gets along and seems to stay around, so you're dealing with the same people. You won't see that looking at some other rosters."

Three players who have thrived in Baltimore after arriving from New York in a trade in 1976 are catcher Rick Dempsey, last year's World Series MVP; Scott McGregor, the Birds' winningest pitcher in 1983; and Tippy Martinez, perhaps baseball's most unsung reliever. The three were obtained from the Yankees in exchange for catcher Elrod Hendricks and pitchers Doyle Alexander, Ken Holtzman, and Grant Jackson.

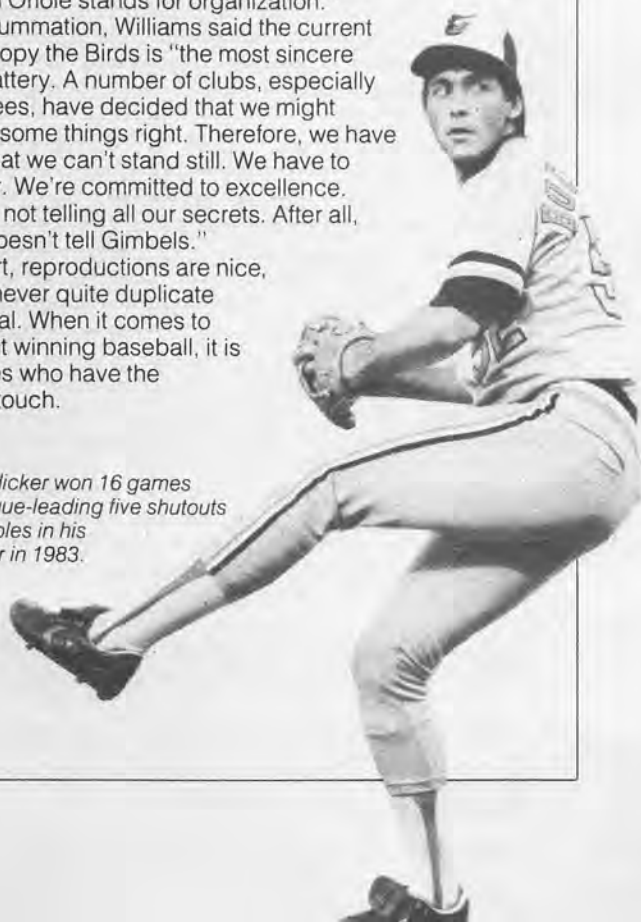
Hoffberger cited the system's knack for producing team players. "Ripken is the newest example," he said. "He's confident in his ability, and he's happy to be one of the whole. That attitude is extremely important. The question of who we are and how well we can play brings out good things in people." In other words, the genuine home-grown stars, like Ripken and Murray, view themselves as part of a constellation that needs every bit of its light, however bright.

Peters pointed to the accent on player development (there is never scrimping in this area, which commands an estimated 25 percent of the total budget), the evenhandedness in dealing with players (signing of free agents who will upset existing salary levels is forbidden), and the emphasis on the makeup of players. "This has never been one of the wealthier franchises," he said, "and it couldn't dominate by sheer force of spending. That's why it's extremely important that the 'O' in Oriole stands for organization."

In his summation, Williams said the current trend to copy the Birds is "the most sincere form of flattery. A number of clubs, especially the Yankees, have decided that we might be doing some things right. Therefore, we have to think that we can't stand still. We have to get better. We're committed to excellence. But we're not telling all our secrets. After all, Macy's doesn't tell Gimbels."

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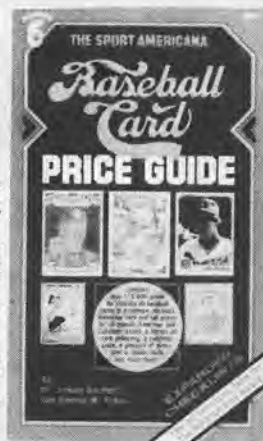
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PREDICTIONS

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WESTERN DIVISION

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5. Texas Rangers
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7. Seattle Mariners



Those Baltimore Orioles, such teases. They ran with the Eastern Division pack until late August, then smoothly sprinted ahead until they clinched the title with nine days left. Then, in both the playoffs and World Series, they conceded the first game before winning the rest. The old city turned itself inside out for a team that had an incredible 48-33 record on the road, led the major leagues in home runs (168), and tied for the major-league lead in shutouts (15).

"This is a levelheaded club that gives you a good day's work for a day's pay," said Joe Altobelli, whose levelheaded managing, particularly in Baltimore's World Series' defeat of Philadelphia, made fans temporarily forget the retired Earl Weaver.

They'll really forget him when Baltimore, again led by Cal Ripken and Eddie Murray, repeats in the East. Its cast of characters is growing older, with Jim Palmer, Ken Singleton, John Lowenstein, Rick Dempsey, and Tippy Martinez in their late- to mid-30s, but appears too formidable to overtake. No team plays better fundamentally than the Birds, and now Wayne Gross comes from Oakland to shore up third base, the only weak spot in the team's structure.

Talk about talent. From home to center, no club has more than the Detroit Tigers: Lance Parrish behind the plate, Jack Morris and Dan Petry on the mound, Alan Trammell and Lou Whitaker around second base, and Chet Lemon in center field. Manager Sparky Anderson's concerns are a reliable fourth starter, an extra reliever, and help at third base and right field. Darrell Evans will try to do at first base in the American League what he did in the National for San Francisco (30 homers, 82 runs batted in).

A return to fundamentals, plus an expected return to the mound of 1982 Cy Young Award-winner Pete Vuckovich and a return to effectiveness by catcher Rick Sundberg from Texas will move the Milwaukee Brewers up two notches to third place. They have too much talent to finish in the second division, and now they have Rene Lachemann to relate to as a manager.

Toronto was Fun City for more than a month of first-place residency, but the Blue Jays cannot afford an injury to any of a handful of key players and pitchers. Their farm system appears bountiful, but it's not quite ready.

Yogi Berra inherits the Goose-less New York Yankees, relief ace Rich Gossage having preferred free agency over another term in the Bronx Zoo, where many of the remaining residents are looking out the bars. The Yankees have Dave Winfield and superb left-handed pitching. The rest of the players must have peak years to help Berra contend.

The heat's on in Boston. Desperate for right-handed pitching, left-handed hitting, and

infield defense, the Red Sox traded their best pitcher, lefty John Tudor, for designated hitter Mike Easler. Still, with Jim Rice (39 homers), Wade Boggs (.361), and sudden mound maturity, they could move up.

In Cleveland, the heat's in the feet of Julio Franco and newcomers Brett Butler and Tony Bernazard, but the for-sale Tribe still lacks power and pitching.

New American League president Bobby Brown inherits an embarrassing division in the West, where the White Sox were the only team over .500. The Sox shot so many holes in the West (55-23 division record en route to 99-63 overall) that to choose any other team over them in 1984 would be like picking Afghanistan to overthrow the Soviet Union. The Sox must overcome the free-agency defection of Dennis Lamp while milking another year from veterans Carlton Fisk, Greg Luzinski, and Tom Paciorek. But with Tom Seaver joining major award-winners LaMarr Hoyt (Cy Young), Ron Kittle (Rookie of Year), Tony LaRussa (Manager of Year), and Luzinski (DH of Year), plus Fisk and pitchers Richard Dotson and Floyd Bannister, they should repeat with ease.

Move the Oakland As from fourth to second. Many at the winter meetings, including LaRussa, felt second-year manager Steve Boros had the most improved team from the acquisitions of second baseman Joe Morgan (free agent from National League-champion Philadelphia), reliever Bill Caudill (26 saves at Seattle), first baseman Bruce Bochte (out of retirement), and others.

And here comes crazy California again, historically an up-and-down team that surprisingly signed all five potential free agents from its fifth-place team. Forget the Angels, though, if they suffer as many injuries as they did last season (15 disablenents).

The Kansas City Royals may have lost some fiber in the drug scandal, but not their hearts. Any team that has a George Brett and a Dan Quisenberry (major-league-record 45 saves) is not all bad. Valuable experience will be given to mere babes.

The Texas Rangers dipped into their pitching well (first in the league in ERA) to obtain an RBI man, Gary Ward of Minnesota. He'll be enough to keep them ahead of the Twins, but not by much.

Surprise! Surprise! Twins' owner Calvin Griffith spent money to keep quality (Ron Davis, John Castino) while trading for pitching (Mike Smithson, John Butcher from Texas), but unless Ken Schrom (15-8) repeats, the Twins will drop back from fifth.

The Seattle Mariners improved their woeful power with Gorman Thomas (from Cleveland) and defense with Barry Bonnell (Toronto) and Bob Kearney (Oakland), but without Caudill to rescue their potentially great young pitchers, they'll have to settle again for last.

1983 FINAL STANDINGS

EASTERN DIVISION					WESTERN DIVISION				
	W	L	PCT	GB		W	L	PCT	GB
Baltimore	98	64	.605	—	Chicago	99	63	.611	—
Detroit	92	70	.568	6	Kansas City	79	83	.488	20
New York	91	71	.562	7	Texas	77	85	.475	22
Toronto	89	73	.549	9	Oakland	74	88	.457	25
Milwaukee	87	75	.537	11	California	70	92	.432	29
Boston	78	84	.481	20	Minnesota	70	92	.432	29
Cleveland	70	92	.432	28	Seattle	60	102	.370	39

BALTIMORE ORIOLES

It wasn't just a major-league-high of 168 home runs that won the world championship for Baltimore in 1983. Neither was it the 1-2 finishing of Cal Ripken and Eddie Murray in the league's Most Valuable Player voting. Nor the fine managing of Earl Weaver's replacement, Joe Altobelli.

It also was the clutch performances by a pitching staff that lost Mike Flanagan (knee), Jim Palmer (back), and Tippy Martinez for varying lengths of time and received little help from Dennis Martinez. "If you had said those things were going to happen in the spring, you'd have said we'd be in fourth place," owner Edward Bennett Williams said.

But then, if you'd have said a corn-silo worker from Iowa named Mike Boddicker would have come up in May to win 16 regular-season games (including a league-leading five shutouts), then turning-point games in both the playoffs and World Series, you'd have said, "Mike Who?"

Boddicker (16-8, 2.77 ERA), Allan Ramirez (4-4, 3.47), and Bill Swaggerty (1-1, 2.91) filled in the blanks until, one by one, Flanagan (12-4, 3.30), Palmer (5-4, 4.23), and Tippy Martinez (9-3, 2.35, 21 saves) returned to make significant down-the-stretch contributions. They'll play the same roles this season, joining Scott McGregor (18-7, 3.18), Storm Davis (13-7, 3.59), the league's best No. 4 starter, and Sammy Stewart (9-4, 3.62, 7 saves).

Baltimore's mound magic was lost in the bat brouhaha surrounding Ripken and Murray, who provided the kind of shortstop-first base excitement that the 1982 league-champion Milwaukee Brewers received from Robin Yount and Cecil Cooper. Only a sophomore, Ripken hit .318 with 27 homers, 102 RBI, and 121 runs, plus a league-high 47 doubles. Murray was .306, 33 HR, 111 RBI, and 115 runs.

"Obviously, both are very gifted players with a toughness you need to be successful major leaguers," general manager Hank Peters said. "Their heads are screwed on right and they're good competitors. We're so fortunate to have people like that."

Having people like John Lowenstein and Gary Roenicke in left field is another Baltimore fortune. The two combined for the incredible power statistics of 34 homers and 124 RBI. For the record, it was .280, 15, and 60 for Lowenstein and .260, 19, 64 for Roenicke.

The only Achilles' heel was third base. Dumped by lowly Seattle, Todd Cruz was signed by the Birds for the final months. Alas, except for being part of the Three Stooges (with Rich Dauer and Rick Dempsey), Cruz's contributions were limited (.199, 10 HR, 48 RBI, and 108 strikeouts). The converted shortstop made 13 errors in half a season at third. Enter Wayne Gross, whose fielding percentage was only slightly better at Oakland (.952 to Cruz's .942). Representing Peters' only major trade, Gross gives the Orioles another left-handed bat with occasional power (.233, 12 HR, 44 RBI). He'll probably platoon with Cruz. "He should be a better hitter because he has such a good swing," said Bill Rigney of the As, who accepted grumpy reliever Tim Lincecum in return. "Maybe they can get to him in ways we couldn't," he added.

"Couldn't" has never been a way with Dempsey (.231, 4 HR, 32 RBI), the fiery catcher who took a large step for the little man by winning the World Series MVP Award with a record five extra-base hits—four doubles and a homer—in the five-game series. The pitchers appreciate him more for his pitch selection and defense. "I know every idiosyn-

crasy they have," he said. "I've been with them so long, it seems I know when they will have good days and when they will have bad days." With league-leading totals in shutouts (15) and fewest hit batsmen (10), and runner-up in ERA (3.63), the staff had many more good days, thanks to Dempsey, who is spelled by the lefty-swinging Joe Nolan (.277, 5 HR, 24 RBI).

Dauer was solid again defensively at second base, but slid drastically on offense (.235, 5 HR, 41 RBI after .280, 8, 57 in 1982). Lenn Sakata (.254, 3 HR, 12 RBI) offers utility help once more, with last spring's touted Leo Hernandez off to the side despite his .343 average at Rochester. Glenn Gulliver, who had a brief stay with the Orioles, batted .309 with 117 walks in 123 games at Rochester.

Altobelli will juggle the other outfield spots with Al Bumbry (.275, 3 HR, 31 RBI) and John Shelby (.258, 5 HR, 27 RBI) in center, and Jim Dwyer (.286, 8 HR, 38 RBI) and switch-hitting Mike Young (.284, 14 HR, 66 RBI at Rochester), who played winter ball for pitching coach Ray Miller, in right. Off the bench is Benny Ayala (.221, 4 HR, 13 RBI). Ken Singleton, the man without a job in the DH-less Sereis, is back at age 36 to try it again. With .276, 18 homers, and 84 RBI, he's not done yet.

Altobelli appreciated the club's faith in him as Weaver's replacement. "They took a chance and it worked out. They weren't going to put me in front of a firing squad if anything went wrong—and it didn't."

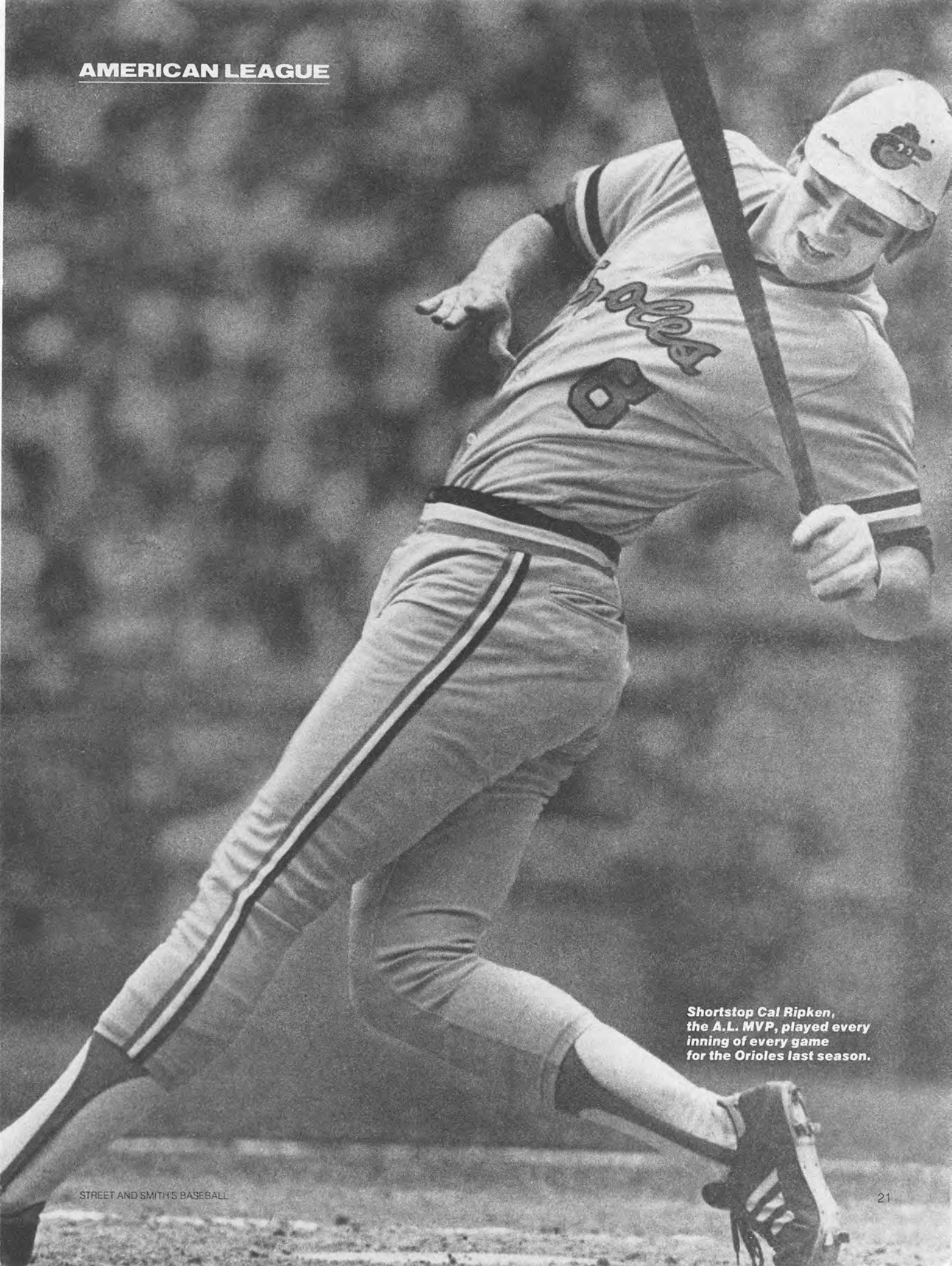
Barring injuries, things shouldn't go wrong again this year. Don't forget that depth.



Reliever Tippy Martinez (left), pitcher Scott McGregor and catcher Rick Dempsey, and first baseman Eddie Murray (#33) of the Orioles



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Shortstop Cal Ripken, the A.L. MVP, played every inning of every game for the Orioles last season.

DETROIT TIGERS

Manager Sparky Anderson said in 1979 he would field a contender in two years. So...what's a few years among friends? He had a contender in four, the Tigers posting their best record (92-70) since Mayo Smith's pennant-winning team of 1968 (103-59) and their best finish (second) since Billy Martin's '73 squad (first). To show its appreciation, the club rewarded Anderson with a two-year contract extension.

Anderson, whose .576 win percentage is best among current major-league managers, had a 20-game winner and a 19-gamer, four .300-plus hitters, three sluggers with 20-plus home runs and four others in double figures, and a formidable up-the-middle defense in which three Tigers earned Gold Gloves, a record.

Thanks to new owner Thomas Monaghan and new general manager Bill Lajoie, the club signed its first free agent ever in Darrell Evans (.277, 30 HR, 82 RBI for San Francisco). He corrects two weaknesses: left-handed power and first base. Evans made an immediate hit: "I picked Detroit because it's a hungry city. I'm hungry, too. I want that ring on my finger." With Jack Morris and Dan Petry on the mound, Gold Glove selections Lance Parrish, Alan Trammell, and Lou Whitaker, and an outfield that includes Larry Herndon and Chet Lemon, he may get that ring.

Still, the Tigers have these needs: (1) a reliable No. 4 starter (2) help for Aurelio Lopez in the bullpen (3) a third baseman (4) Kirk Gibson to finally reach his potential.

For the pennant push, the Tigers obtained veteran Glenn Abbott from Seattle. He could be that No. 4 man. Abbott was a combined 7-4, but with a 1.93 ERA for the Tigers (3.37 overall). He'll join Juan Berenguer, the team's biggest surprise (8-5, 3.14 after a career 3-17 mark) behind Jack Morris (20-13, 3.34), Dan Petry (19-11, 3.92), and Milt Wilcox (11-10, 3.97), who re-signed with Detroit after testing free agency. Anderson seldom uses a fifth starter, meaning Dave Rozema (8-3, 3.43) may go back to the bullpen. Morris and Petry were the best 1-2 pitching punch in Detroit since Denny McLain and Mickey Lolich. Morris, whose forkball keeps getting better, won ten straight games. Petry has a splendid slider. At 24, he's still maturing. He has 60 victories in four years. Since 1930, only nine pitchers have had more wins at the same age, the last being Dizzy Dean.

"Every time Jack goes out and wins, I feel I have to win," Petry said. "Isn't that good for the team?"

It is, and so is the bullpen when Lopez is living up to his nickname of Señor Smoke. He was given a fat contract for posting a 9-8 record with 18 saves and a 2.45 ERA after threatening retirement. But he couldn't do it all. By mid-August, the big man was gassing out. So was Doug Bair, who pitched 19 shut-out innings as soon as he arrived from St. Louis. His ERA sailed to 3.88 as he finished 7-3. Dave Gumpert (0-2, 2.64), who keeps the ball down, showed enough moxie in 26 games to indicate he is ready to spell Lopez.

The line forms on the left for third base. Even outfielder Glenn Wilson (.268, 11 HR, 65 RBI) is up for consideration, having ordered an infielder's glove to be able to compete with Howard Johnson, who missed most of '83



with a broken thumb; 28-year-old rookie Barbaro Garbey (.321, 14 HR, 59 RBI at Evansville), Tom Brookens (.214, 6 HR, 32 RBI), and Marty Castillo (.193, 2 HR, 10 RBI). Evans can play third, too.

Although the Tigers ranked last in the league in double plays, the keystone duo of Trammell and Whitaker is considered the best in baseball. There was a reason for few twin killings: the pitching staff was the league's stingiest—only 1,318 hits in 1,451 innings. The close friends had an exciting batting race for team honors. Whitaker winning on the last day, .320 to Trammell's .319. It was the first time a league DP combination hit over .300 together since Luke Appling (.301) and Cass Michaels (.308) of the 1949 White Sox. Trammell, however, will be brought along carefully following arthroscopic surgery for knee cartilage.

There are no problems in left field with Herndon (.302, 20 HR, 92 RBI) and in center with Lemon (.255, 24 HR, 69 RBI), but right field has some interesting possibilities. There are Gibson (.227, 15 HR, 51 RBI, and 96 strikeouts in 401 at-bats), Johnny Grubb (.254, 4 HR, 22 RBI), who tripped over first base in July and hurt his wrist; Wilson, who made mistakes following a good rookie season; and Rick Leach (.248, 3 HR, 26 RBI), who lost consideration for first base with the signing of Evans.



Lance Parrish (.269, 27 HR, 114 RBI), probably baseball's strongest man, was the first Tiger catcher in 45 years to drive in 100 runs. The backup catcher, John Wockenfuss (.269, 9 HR, 4 RBI), is expected to share DH duty with Gibson.

The Tigers have many ifs. If they solve their problems and avoid injuries, they could go the distance in baseball's toughest division.

Shortstop Alan Trammell and starting pitchers Jack Morris (center) and Dan Petry help make the Detroit Tigers formidable.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS

It happened quickly, the 1982 champion Brewers going from wallbangers to wallflowers in '83 with a tumble from first place to fifth.

What happened? Easy enough. Hitting, of all things. It stopped. Clinging to a half-game lead in the A.L. East as late as August 25, the Brewers lost 14 of their next 20 games when the offense, which had averaged 5.5 runs a game the previous season, put across just 2.7 in a stretch Jim Gantner called "a nightmare."

It was nightmarish for manager Harvey Kuenn. He was dismissed and replaced by Rene Lachemann, who earlier had been canned by sinking Seattle. Lachemann never looked back. He scouted while idle, then spent his first days with the Brewers scouring 150 pages of statistics provided by public-relations director Tom Skibosh. He came away with "a different approach. Now I have the Cecil Coopers, the Robin Younts, and the Paul Molitors instead of the Jamie Nelsons, the Manny Castillos, and the Jim Malers."

Not exactly. The team's first move was to draft catcher Nelson out of Seattle's organization. With veteran Ted Simmons (.308, 13 HR, 108 RBI) reducing his backstop time in half and Ned Yost having thrown out only eight of 63 thieves, the Brewers had to do something. They did, sending Yost to Texas for Rick Sundberg. With a .201 average, two homers, and just 28 RBI, and a black mark in Texas manager Doug Rader's book for defense, Sundberg had worn out his stay with the Rangers. The Brewers figure a change of scenery is just what the doctor ordered.

"I plan to catch him 135-140 games," Dr. Lachemann said. "I feel that with Sundberg surrounded by this lineup, the pressure will be off him both offensively and defensively."

Offensively, maybe, but Sundberg will have to work with a staff that includes former Cy Young Award-winners Pete Vuckovich and Rollie Fingers trying to come back from serious injuries; Moose Haas (13-3, 3.27), returning from a biceps problem; Bob McClure (9-9, 4.50), who pulled a muscle under his arm; Mike Caldwell (12-11, 4.53), who plotted a comeback before the season was over for "letting so many games get away in the late innings" and allowing a club-record 35 home runs; and Don Sutton (8-13, 4.08), who lost a team-record eight straight while winning just once in the second half. Lachemann will have a chore separating the veterans from Jamie Cocanower (2-0, 1.80 after 10-10 at Vancouver) and Chuck Porter (7-9, 4.50).

At least Lachemann knows Pete "Big Foot" Ladd and Tom Tellmann are all right in the bullpen. Sent to Vancouver early to work out the kinks of a 7.11 ERA, Ladd returned to save 25 games (3-4 record) and lower his ERA to 2.55. Tellmann, now 30, surprised as a rookie with 9-4, 2.80, 8 saves. Other bullpen hopefuls are Jerry Augustine (3-3, 5.74), Bob Gibson (3-4, 3.90), and Rick Waits (0-2, 5.10). Gone, to the Angels, from long relief is the effective Jim Slaton (14-6, 4.33, 5 saves).

With everyone healthy, the position players are as solid as any in baseball, beginning at first base where Cooper had his seventh straight heroic season as a Brewer (.307, 30 HR, 126 RBI). Shortstop Yount (.317, 17 HR, 80 RBI) slipped ever so slightly from his MVP season of 1982, but a ruptured back disc had much to do with it. He underwent surgery, was

brought along carefully, and should be ready. Gantner had another solid season, batting .282 with 11 homers and 74 RBI while leading the league's second basemen in chances (900). And at third, Molitor made strides on defense, cutting back from 29 errors to 16, but fell back on offense with .270, 15 homers, 57 RBI, and 95 runs compared with .284, 19, 71, and 136 the previous year. Milwaukee again feels comfortable with Roy Howell (.278, 4 HR, 25 RBI) and Ed Romero (.317, 1 HR, 18 RBI) in reserve.

Outfield eyes are on Ben Oglivie (.280, 13 HR, 66 RBI). Ol' Benji's getting on in years (35), as reflected in injuries to his heels and back. "When Benji's in heat, he can hit anybody. He's still capable of 30-35 homers," Lachemann said. But if Oglivie runs hot and cold, Mark Brouhard (.276, 7 HR, 23 RBI) is ready either to platoon or take over in left. Rick Manning (.229, 3 HR, 33 RBI), obtained from Cleveland for the popular Gorman Thomas, calmed the boo birds with defense, but Charlie Moore in right (.284, 4 HR, 29 RBI) is in jeopardy of being platooned with rookie Dion James (.336 at Vancouver, 33 stolen bases). Bobby Clark (.231, 5 HR, 21 RBI) was brought in from California in the Slaton trade as insurance. Lachemann will look at Randy Ready at "all positions" to determine if he's ready. With .405 in 12 games following .329 at Vancouver, he seems ready, but literally has no position.

Lachemann is in a pressure situation, but with this cast he should be able to handle it. He has the faith of general manager Harry Dalton, who said, "We have a new team—same players, new manager."



First baseman Cecil Cooper (#15), pitchers Pete Vuckovich and Rollie Fingers (center & right, above), and shortstop Robin Yount of the Brewers

TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Being first in 1983 was so-o-o-o nice while it lasted. The Blue Jays sold beer in Exhibition Stadium for the first time, held or shared first place 32 straight days, and were first in the major leagues in home-attendance increase (654,000).

The beer held out, but the team didn't. It faded to fourth, but still finished over .500 for the first time in its seven-year expansion history (89-73). With a little relief for its stellar starters, it may have contended to the end. Only one reliever, Randy Moffitt, had as many as ten saves, and he promptly sought free agency. Dave Geisel, the only left-handed pitcher, was sent to the minors, then drafted by Seattle. For almost half the season, Blue Jay pitchers led the league in earned-run average, but finished eighth with 4.12.

To help rectify the situation, Toronto traded its leading hitter, Barry Bonnell (.318), to Seattle for Bryan Clark (7-10, 3.94). "We may have overpaid a bit, but we had a surplus in the outfield and we needed a left-hander," general manager Pat Gillick said. That they did. The Jays were the only team in the majors not to gain a single victory from a southpaw.

Right-handers? The Jays have plenty, including All-Star-Game winner Dave Stieb (17-12, 3.04) and two others with double-figure wins. Stieb was so tough to hit that opponents averaged only .219 against him. He was among the league leaders in numerous categories, including second in innings (278) and shutouts (four), and third in ERA. Jim Clancy proved his mettle with 15-11, 3.91, while Luis Leal (13-12, 4.31) had brilliant streaks, including a two-hitter over Western Division champion Chicago. Doyle Alexander (7-8, 4.41), released by the Yankees, rebounded from six

straight losses to win seven in a row.

Unless the bullpen remains in dire straits, Clark will enter this rotation. "Our reports on him are very good," manager Bobby Cox said. If Clark is needed out yonder, Cox will have to choose among disappointing Mike Morgan (0-3, 5.16), Dennis Howard (9-7 at Syracuse), and Matt Williams (8-8 at Syracuse). The reports on Jim Gott (9-14, 4.47) are inconclusive. He was superb in spring training with 21 scoreless innings, but lost his first three decisions as a starter and was a short reliever by September. He'll probably remain in the pen.

The Jays moved to strengthen their staff by signing free-agent right-hander Dennis Lamp (7-7, 3.71, 15 saves with the Chisox). The rest of the relievers are you-pick-em: Jim Aker (5-1, 4.33), Stan Clarke (3-27 in ten games), Roy Lee Jackson (8-3, 4.50), and Joey McLaughlin (7-4, 4.45). Dave Shipanoff saved 18 games for Knoxville in '83.

Excellent drafters (Gott, Aker, Willie Upshaw, George Bell), the Jays chose catcher Terry Cormack from Atlanta (.232 at Class-A Durham) and infielder Kelly Gruber from Cleveland (.263, 15 HR at AA Buffalo). At best, these two will be kept as reserves. Until Cormack and big Bill Pinkham (.252, 10 HR, 41 RBI at Knoxville) are ready, Toronto again will platoon with the best catching duo in the majors. Buck Martinez (.253, 10 HR, 33 RBI) is 35 now, but is a fine handler of pitchers—just ask Stieb—and Ernie Whitt has a potent left-handed bat (.256, 17 HR, 56 RBI).

After just four seasons, Upshaw at first base is a year from full-fledged stardom. He hit .306 with 27 homers and 104 RBI. And he can run, too. He did set a club-record with 21 errors, but ten came in the first 39 games. Cox

has a delightful managerial decision up the middle, where Damaso Garcia (.307, 3 HR, 38 RBI, 31 SB), has been turning the double play with shortstop Alfredo Griffin (.250, 4 HR, 47 RBI). So what's the problem? Tony Fernandez. The Jays can't hold the shortstop back, not after .300, 35 steals at Syracuse while polishing a steady glove. "He can get more on a flip throw than anybody I've ever seen," former manager Bobby Mattick said. However, Fernandez broke his hand late in the season and it didn't heal properly. Thus, Garcia and Griffin, who has played in 347 straight games, may stay together another year. Third base is another platoon place. Rance Mulliniks (.275, 10 HR, 49 RBI) and Garth Iorg (.275, 2 HR, 39 RBI) combined for 56 doubles and eight triples while playing good defense.

Despite the loss of Bonnell, the outfield is one of the finest around, particularly in center, where Lloyd Moseby, who averaged only .233 in his first three seasons, ballooned to .315, 19 HR, 81 RBI, and 27 SB by lowering his hands and hitting the opposite way last year. His next goal is a Gold Glove. With 27 homers in just 388 at-bats, including a stretch of four in eight tries, Jesse Barfield (.253, 68 RBI) is set in right, and the Jays think Bell (.268) finally is ready in left after 15 homers at Syracuse. Dave Collins (.271, 1 HR, 34 RBI, 31 SB) gives swift outfield support. At 36, DH Cliff Johnson may not hit 22 homers (76 RBI) again, but no one underestimates him. He'll platoon with Willie Aikens (.302, 23 HR, 72 RBI), if Aikens gains the commissioner's clearance from a drug sentence.

The Jays were without major injuries last year. They must stay out of the trainer's room while getting more help in the bullpen to contend again.



Pitcher Dave Stieb, right fielder Jesse Barfield (left), DH Cliff Johnson, and first baseman Willie Upshaw (below) of Toronto

NEW YORK YANKEES

The Yankees made the league's second-largest improvement in 1983, a 12-game jump from '82 that had an unusual result for '84: Billy Martin was fired as manager for the third time and replaced by Yogi Berra for the second time. Then again, nothing is unusual under owner George Steinbrenner.

"I feel I've achieved most everything in baseball," Berra said after Martin was made an adviser to Steinbrenner. "I've won an MVP, I'm in the Hall of Fame, and I've won a pennant in each league (Yankees in 1964, Mets in '73). The one thing I haven't done is win a world championship. Both times it went down to seven games, and both times I lost."

Berra won't be able to go down to seven for a while. There is no one coming up from the farm or coming in from trades to replace the Goose, Rich Gossage. By taking his golden arm (13 wins, 22 saves) to the free-agent market, Gossage left a bullpen with only four combined saves—three by Mike Armstrong with Kansas City and one by Dale Murray, re-signed from free agency.

The starters, bless their left-handed hearts, led the league in complete games (47), but they may have to double that to protect themselves. Armstrong (10-7, 3.86) is the only addition to the bullpen. He grew up loving the Yankees on Long Island's Glen Cove, but it will be a long season if he and the others don't save the Gossage way.

This is a team still pocked with dissension. Gossage, DH Oscar Gamble, and coach Don Zimmer got out, leaving outfielder Steve Kemp, first baseman Ken Griffey, catcher Rick Cerone, and infielders Roy Smalley and Larry Milbourne green with envy. Griffey, hampered by hamstrings, adjusted to the outside

pitch with a .306 average (11 HR, 46 RBI), but decried lack of respect. He might be shifted to center field this season. Kemp (.241, 12 HR, 49 RBI) played with injuries, lost his job to rookie Don Mattingly, then had his face caved in by an Omar Moreno batting-practice line drive. Cerone (.220, 2 HR, 22 RBI) fell behind Butch Wynegar. Smalley fell behind at shortstop when the club traded for Tim Lincecum, and Milbourne (.200) fell into disfavor with Martin.

In the middle of all this was the near death of shortstop Andre Robertson (.248, 1 HR, 22 RBI) in an auto accident and the infamous Pine Tar incident in which the Yankees lost not only a game, but \$300,000 in Steinbrenner fines for comments and behavior. Knowing they face a problem at shortstop if Robertson is unable to come back from a broken neck and other injuries (he was fined for missing curfew), the Yankees obtained Foli (.252, 2 HR, 29 RBI) from the Angels. He'll duel with Smalley (.275, 18 HR, 62 RBI), unless Smalley is (a) traded or (b) moved to first.

The Yankees also face age—at third base in Graig Nettles (39) and ex-Indian Toby Harrah (35)—obtained for reliever George Frazier—DH in Don Baylor (35), part-time outfield in Lou Piniella (40), and long relief in Rudy May (39). The only Yankee to have preceded Steinbrenner in '73, Nettles signed for two more years after another fine season (.266, 20 HR, 75 RBI); Harrah had stats of .266, 9 HR, 53 RBI with Cleveland. In raising his average 40 points, Baylor hit .300 for the first time in his 12-year career (.303, 21 HR, 85 RBI, 17 SB) and Piniella hit .291 before signing for one more season, but the Yankees will be fortunate to gain that kind of season again. Willie Randolph (.279, 2 HR, 38 RBI) is back for his eighth year at second base, and Bobby Mea-

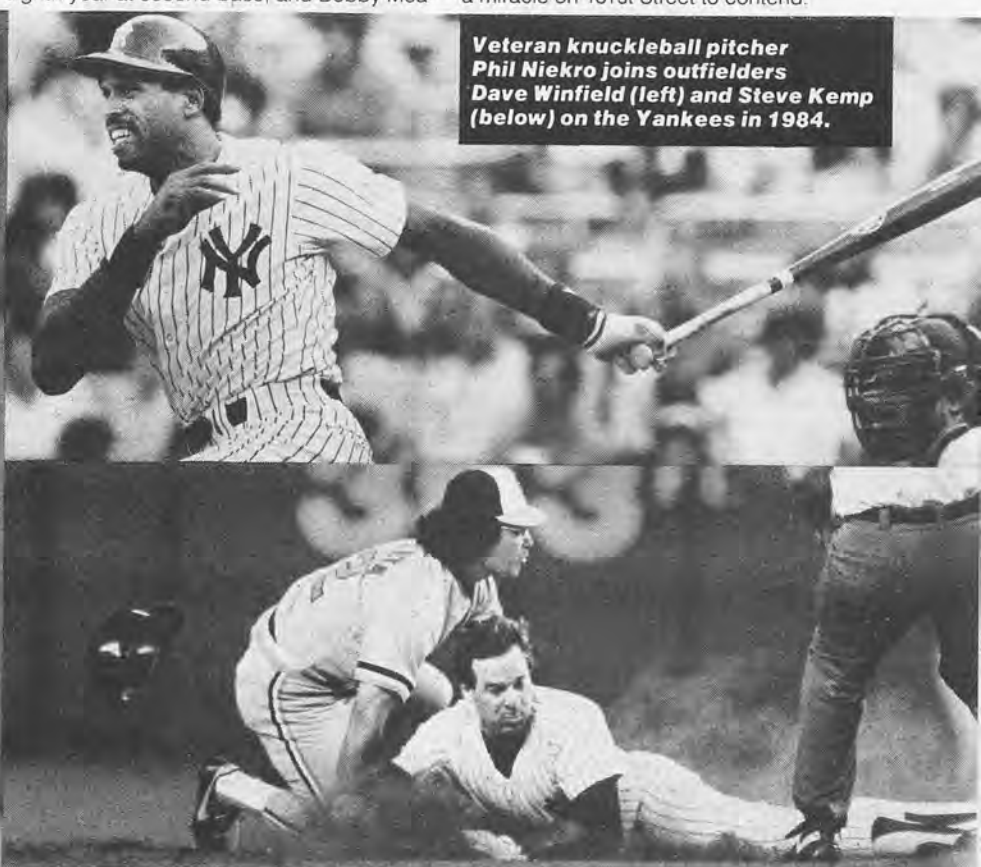
cham (.262 at Columbus) backs everyone up.

Few had better seasons anywhere than left fielder Dave Winfield. His only bad play was a throw that killed a sea gull in Toronto. Otherwise, he hit .283 with 32 homers, drove in more runs (116) than any Yankee since Roger Maris (142) and Mickey Mantle (128) in 1961, and had 21 game-winning RBI. Moreno hit a combined .244, 1 HR, 42 RBI, 37 SB with the Yankees and the Houston Astros, leaving Kemp and Mattingly (.283, 4 HR, 32 RBI—after .340 at Columbus) to decide right field. Berra will take a long look at International League slugger Brian Dayett (35 HR, 108 RBI at Columbus).

One of six switch hitters on the team, Wynegar had his best season (.296, 6 HR, 42 RBI) behind the plate. If Cerone goes, Juan Espino (.280 at Columbus) moves up.

No staff in baseball is better from the left side: Ron Guidry (21-9, 3.42), Dave "No-Hit" Righetti (14-8, 3.44), Shane Rawley (14-14, 3.78). And that's not all. Ray Fontenot came up from Columbus to go 8-2, 3.33, while Bob Shirley, a disappointment, went 5-8, 5.08. Now the Yankees have John "The Great Right Hope" Montefusco, an acquisition from the San Diego Padres who signed a long-term contract after going 5-0, 3.32, and 45-year-old Phil Niekro, a free-agent pickup who signed a two-year pact. He was 11-10, 3.97 with the Atlanta Braves last season and 17-4, 3.61 in 1982. So, Montefusco, Righetti, and/or Fontenot may go to the bullpen to assist Armstrong (10-7, 3.86) and Murray (2-4, 4.48). The oft-injured Rudy May (1-5, 6.87), Jay Howell (1-5, 5.38), and Matt Keough (5-7, 5.33) are on the cusp.

With a Goose-less bullpen, Berra will need a miracle on 161st Street to contend.



Veteran knuckleball pitcher Phil Niekro joins outfielders Dave Winfield (left) and Steve Kemp (below) on the Yankees in 1984.

BOSTON RED SOX

The all-or-nothing-at-all Red Sox didn't exactly go all-out in the trade market, sending their best pitcher, John Tudor (13-12), to Pittsburgh for a designated hitter, Mike Easler.

Finishing sixth, 20 games behind Baltimore, the club received outstanding individual efforts from league batting champion Wade Boggs, 1-2 home-run leaders Jim Rice and Tony Armas, and workhorse reliever Bob Stanley. Then...nothing. Boston ranked 24th in the major leagues in pitching, tied its own league record for grounding into double plays (171), was last in stolen bases, had a league-high number of runners left on base, and was weak on the left side of the infield where starters Boggs and Glenn Hoffman combined for 53 errors. Furthermore, it was ripped asunder by courtroom ownership bickering.

No matter which group owns them in 1984, the Sox will be without the services of Carl Yastrzemski for the first time in 24 years. The great one retired at age 44, leaving both himself and the fans in tears. The last of Fenway Park's great left-handed hitters is gone.

Easler (.307, 10 HR, 54 RBI) is good, but not great. A .296 lifetime hitter for ten years, he returns to the club that gave him only a cursory look in 1979 spring training. "I'm sure I can help win a pennant this year. The right ingredients are here. Between me and Boggs, we'll put a hole in that wall."

Easler was only half right about the ingredients. He and Boggs may hit the wall in left while Rice (.305, 39 HR, 126 RBI) and Armas (.218, 36 HR, 107 RBI) clear it, but who's going to pitch the ball? Bobby Ojeda ranked 28th in league ERA last season, Bruce Hurst 31st, and Dennis Eckersley 46th. Further, little help is expected anywhere from Triple-A Pawtucket, which was last in the International League standings and in hitting and pitching.

The trade of Tudor returns the rotation to two left-handers—Ojeda (12-7, 4.04) and Hurst (12-12, 4.09), which still may be one too many at Fenway Park. Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd (4-8, 3.28) had some good moments in his rookie season, and Mike Brown (6-6, 4.67) has to be considered despite lack of both history and a curve, but Eckersley faded to 9-13, 5.61 with 223 hits allowed in 176 innings. Not on the winter roster but given a darkhorse chance to sneak in is Roger Clemens, who helped pitch the University of Texas to the NCAA title, then went a combined 8-2 and 1.30 ERA with two low-minor-league teams. Other mound candidates, up from Pawtucket, are Steve Crawford (8-11) and Al Nipper (9-4).

Whether long or short, Stanley (8-10, 2.85, 33 saves) handles most relief chores. Luis Aponte (5-4, 3.63) and John Henry Johnson (3-2, 3.71) help out, but Mark Clear took gargantuan steps backward with a 6.28 ERA (4-5 record).

Manager Ralph Houk will look at outfielder Easler at first base, but probably will put him in Yaz's DH spot. "He'll play every day. I just want his bat in the lineup," he said. Smart. The Red Sox received only 19 homers from lefty hitters. Yastrzemski had ten. Dave Stapleton (.247, 10 HR, 66 RBI) remains at ready alert at first and other infield positions, but another slow start by him may force Houk to move Boggs to first. Ed Jurak (.277, 0 HR, 18 RBI) is also a possibility.

Reliable but punchless Jerry Remy (.275, 0 HR, 43 RBI) returns to second base, but may

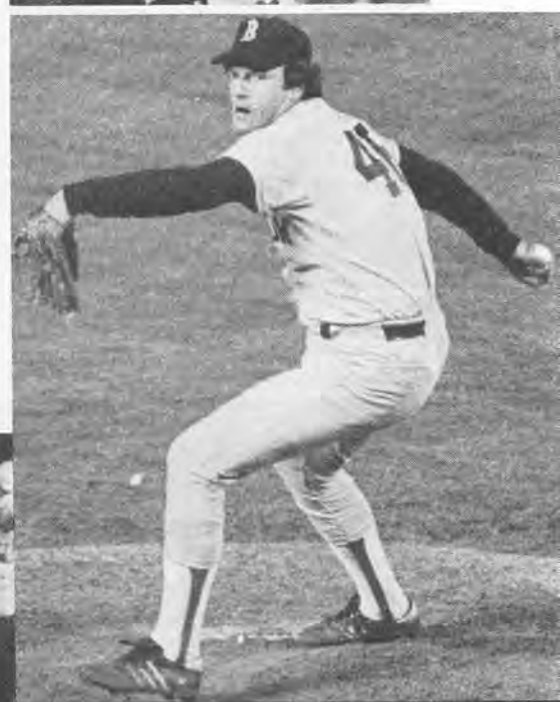
yield the leadoff spot. He only drew 52 walks in 626 at-bats. There is a big woe at short-stop, where Hoffman (.260, 4 HR, 41 RBI) underwent knee surgery. His effectiveness is iffy. Jackie Gutierrez has better range and an excellent arm, but might need more seasoning (.272, 5 HR, 42 RBI at New Britain and Pawtucket). If Hoffman is capable and Boggs has to move to first base, Gutierrez will go to third. Boggs (.361, 5 HR, 74 RBI) is brilliant at the plate. He had 210 hits, 100 runs, and 44 doubles, and hit .397 in Fenway. With 92 walks, he may lead off. Despite the errors, he was underrated afield, tying Texas's Buddy Bell for most chances at third base.

With Yaz departed, Rice steps into the fans' spotlight. He led the league in total bases (344) for the fourth time and in homers for the third time, and was second in RBI. "Jim can do in 18 years what it took me 23 to do," Yastrzemski said of the nine-year left fielder. Armas in center played through incredible good-bad streaks, striking out 131 times, then had elbow chips removed. Dwight Evans in right slipped 54 points in average (.238, 22 HR, 58 RBI).

The outfield bench is solid with Reid Nichols (.285, 6 HR, 22 RBI) and Rick Miller (.286, 2 HR, 21 RBI), but not so the catching. Rich Gedman hit .294 (2 HR, 18 RBI), but Gary Allenson (.230, 2 HR, 30 RBI) is better defensively. Jeff Newman (.189, 3 HR, 7 RBI) drove in no runs after July 1.

The starting pitchers are just entering their peak years. If they peak together, Boston will peek into the first division.

Bob Stanley (right) will provide relief and Mike Easler and Jim Rice the left-right offensive support for Boston this season.



CLEVELAND INDIANS

Tony Bernazard said he liked "the direction" the Indians were headed when he was obtained from Seattle. The Tribe has only two directions in 1984: up or sideways. It can't go down, having finished seventh and last in '83, thus marking its eighteenth losing season in the last 24 years.

Fifth place this year would be heady. The club had to meet the trade demands of team home-run leader Gorman Thomas, backup catcher Jim Essian, and possibly starting catcher Ron Hassey. Further, it did little to restock the pitching staff, which ranked thirteenth in earned-run average, wild pitches, hit batsmen, etc., etc.

"It's a green team," said manager Pat Corrales. "We're going back to A-B-C baseball."

The Tribe was going backwards to 100 losses under Mike Ferraro while taking few risks, but under Corrales, it went 30-32 while taking such un-Clevelandlike plays as suicide-squeeze bunts. Still, there was dissatisfaction. Four players opted to be traded, including outfielder Thomas (22 HR), who disliked Cleveland so much after being obtained from Milwaukee that he stayed in a hotel. "Let 'em go," long-suffering fans shouted.

Indians' supporters will not be shouting down the halls of Municipal Stadium this summer, but should be hailing the team's speed, made swifter by Brett Butler in center and Bernazard (for Thomas) at second base. They join shortstop Julio Franco, the Rookie of the Year runner-up. Together, the trio stole 94 bases in 138 attempts (68.1 percent). The trick will be getting them to do it together, Bernazard having gone 23-for-32 with the White Sox and Mariners, and Butler 39-62 for Atlanta. Franco was 32-44 with the Indians. And now Otis Nixon (94 steals at Columbus), obtained from New York, could add even more speed in the outfield.

It'll be particularly entertaining around second base. The Indians were third in converting double plays last season, but that had much to do with all the runners on base. Second baseman Manny Trillo was helping Franco through half the season, but got hurt, then was traded. Bernazard (.262, 2 HR, 26 RBI) will step right in with Franco, whose statistics of .273, 8 HR, 80 RBI, and 32 SB rank with those of baseball's all-time shortstops when they were rookies. Corrales thinks Bernazard "will get better defensively on our grass and dirt."

Scoring Butler (.281, 5 HR, 37 RBI for the Braves), Franco, and Bernazard will be another mental problem for designated hitter Andre Thornton, the team's only slugger. In midseason, Thornton said he was "trying to get away from the burden of carrying the club." The burden showed in Thornton's drop from 32 homers and 116 RBI in 1982 to 17 and 77. He still hit .281 with 87 walks. But drawing walks is what the Indians do best. They led the A.L. with 605, which either shows good eyes or lack of aggressiveness.

Much depends offensively on Butler and his former Brave teammate, Brook Jacoby, obtained for Len Barker to prevent a lack of return for free agency. Butler will replace Thomas, who had replaced Rick Manning in center, and Jacoby (.315, 25 HR, 100 RBI at Richmond) dislodged Toby Harrah (.266, 9 HR, 53 RBI)—who was dealt to the Yankees for reliever George Frazier—at third. Pokey

but steady Mike Hargrove (.286, 3 HR, 57 RBI) returns at first base, with Broderick Perkins (.272, 0 HR, 24 RBI) and Mike Fischlin (.209, 2 HR, 23 RBI) on infield alert.

Pat Tabler (.291, 6 HR, 65 RBI) still needs polish in left field, but he's trying. Right field is a question. George Vukovich (.247, 3 HR, 44 RBI) seems suited to platooning, leaving Alan Bannister (.265, 5 HR, 45 RBI) and Kevin Rhomberg (.311, 27 SB at Charleston) to work it out. If Hassey goes, Jerry Willard (.301, 19 HR at Charleston) and Chris Bando (.256, 4 HR, 15 RBI) will handle the catching.

The pitching isn't all bad—not when Rick Sutcliffe (17-11, 4.29) and Neal Heaton (11-7, 4.16) are in the rotation. Sutcliffe's ERA went up 1.33 points, but Heaton was a versatile bonanza. Brought along carefully, the University of Miami standout saved seven games, then threw three shutouts in 16 starts. If Bert Blyleven (7-10, 3.91) returns from still more physical woes—he trained hard in the offseason—the Indians will have a formidable three-man rotation. Finding the fourth man will be a task. Rick Behenna (6-5 at Richmond) shut out the Brewers, but isn't very strong; Mike Jeffcoat (12-8 at Charleston) may be nurtured like Heaton, and Roy Smith (6-8 Charleston) strictly is a long shot. The bullpen was a mess. Dan Spillner (2-9, 5.07) and Bud Anderson (1-6, 4.08) were disappointments, thus the drafting of Tom Waddell from Atlanta's system (13-2 at Savannah and Richmond) and the trade for Frazier (4-4, 3.44, 8 saves).

The Indians will be improved in '84, but they'll still wave the basement flag.

The Cleveland Indians feature catcher Ron Hassey, new center fielder Brett Butler (right), and soph shortstop Julio Franco.



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CHICAGO WHITE SOX

The idea was to "fine tune" the engine during the winter, the White Sox having gone the summer distance on an engine fueled by power, pitching, and speed. They dominated the Western Division with a major-league-high 800 runs, two 20-game winners, and base-stealing proficiency. Their 99 victories was tops in the majors and their winning margin of 20 games over second-place Kansas City was a league record. They gave the city its first baseball pennant in 24 years.

The plan for fine tuning in '84 did not include the loss of leading reliever Dennis Lamp. He left via the freedom road, Ron Reed was acquired from Philadelphia as his replacement, and the Sox found Tom Seaver unprotected on the compensation list.

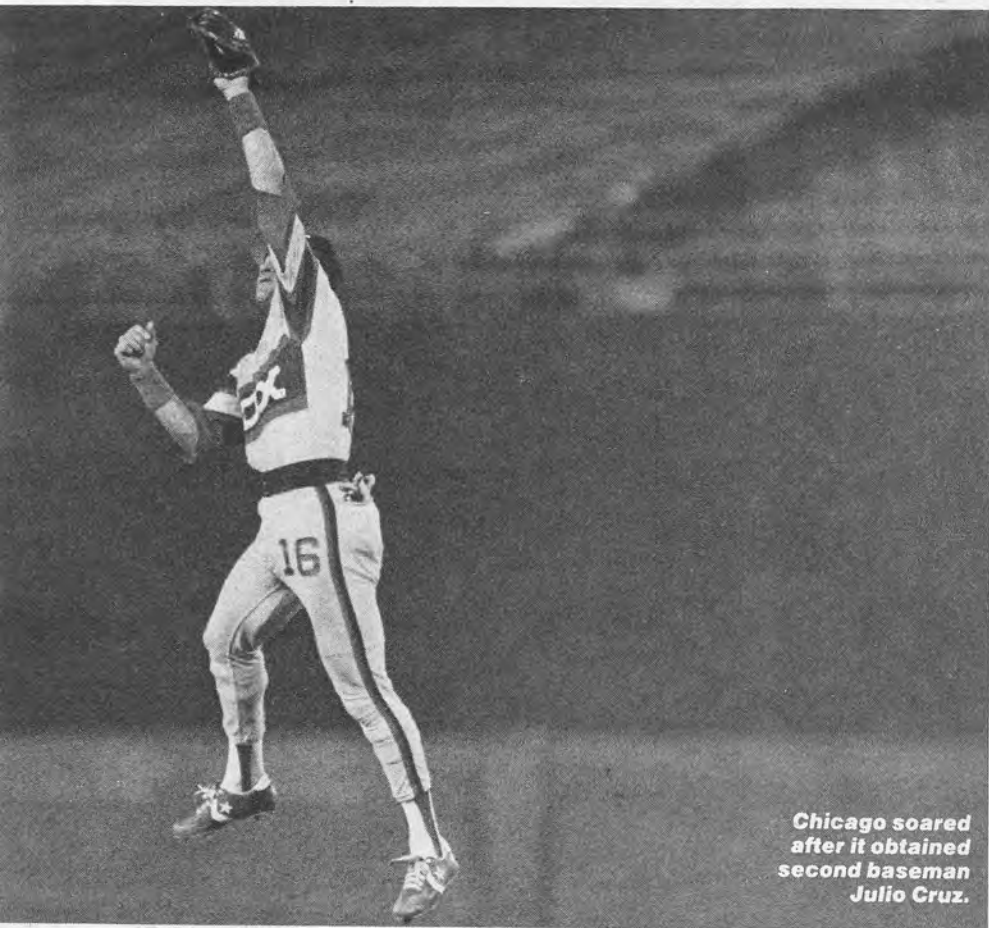
With an impressive five-man rotation and an offense that led the major leagues in runs (800), LaRussa should have enough to defend the West despite another year of age on Kingpins Carlton Fisk (36), Greg Luzinski (33), and Tom Paciorek (37). It wasn't until those three got untracked, and Julio Cruz came over from Seattle, that the Sox went into high gear, finishing 83-39 after starting 16-24.

The Sox had their strongest offense since 1977 and their toughest pitching since the 1959 pennant-winning team, but LaRussa was proudest of the defense. It stumbled and fumbled through May, but with Scott Fletcher (.237, 3HR, 31RBI) settling in at shortstop and Vance Law (.243, 4HR, 42RBI) comfortable in his new position at third, the Sox went from thirteenth in the league in fielding to fourth. Cruz (.252, 3 HR, 52 RBI, 57 SB) was a major reason. He helped get the double play going while protecting the right side with his range. Jerry Dybzinski (.230, 1 HR, 32 RBI) and Tim Hulett (.273, 21 HR, 88 RBI at Denver), described as "a Bill Mazeroski type," are in reserve.

The same old crowd is at first base. Paciorek, who from late May to October raised his average 64 points, to .307 (9 HR, 63 RBI), plays it when a left-hander is pitching and Greg Walker (.270, 10 HR, 55 RBI) goes there for righties. And when late defense is needed, the ever-reliable Mike Squires (.222, 1 HR, 11 RBI) takes over. He was used 143 times.

A half-partner in the Chicago Roofing Company lives in the outfield, which is the envy of practically every team for its offensive versatility. Despite 150 strikeouts, left fielder Ron Kittle (.254, 35 HR, 100 RBI) was Rookie of the Year. Twice he homered on top of Comiskey Park's roof, an awesome drive that DH Luzinski achieved three times. He'll be spelled by Paciorek against certain right-handed pitchers. With a .283 average and 77 stolen bases, Rudy Law (3 HR, 34 RBI) developed into a fine leadoff man. More surprising was his defense, a league-leading .994. Harold Baines started slowly—from being pitched around—but was a catalyst in the August and September pennant push when he accumulated many of his league-leading 22 game-winning RBI while finishing .280, 20 homers, 99 RBI. Switch-hitting Jerry Hairston (.294, 5 HR, 22 RBI), walk-conscious Dave Stegman (.334, 100 walks at Denver), and

The White Sox grabbed Tom Seaver when the New York Mets left him unprotected in the compensation pool.



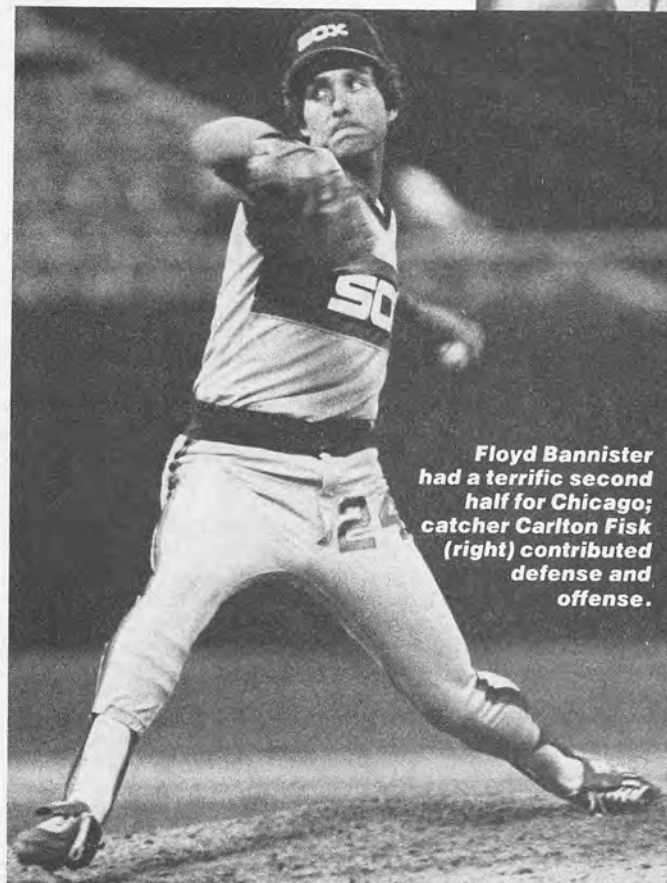
**Chicago soared
after it obtained
second baseman
Julio Cruz.**

left-handed Casey Parsons (.334, 100 RBI at Denver) fill in the gaps. Luzinski, a lamb in spring, turned into a Bull again in summer with .255, 32 homers, and 95 RBI as the league's top DH for the second time in three years.

Fisk was a marvel behind the plate. Moved to the No. 2 spot on June 15, he hit .329 the rest of the way to finish at .289 with 26 homers and 86 runs batted in. At the same time, he settled an unsettled pitching staff. With year-round body maintenance, he shows no sign of fading. Marc Hill (.226, 1 HR, 11 RBI) will support him, with Joel Skinner expected to get another year of Triple-A seasoning.

The regular rotation is a jewel. All five starters last year achieved double-figure wins: Cy Young Award-winner LaMarr Hoyt (24-10, 3.66), Richard Dotson (22-7, 3.23), Floyd Bannister (16-10, 3.35), Britt Burns (10-11, 3.58), and, when the weather warms, Jerry Koosman (11-7, 4.77). Now along comes Seaver (9-14, 3.55) from the Mets. Victims of this depth are Randy Martz, Steve Mura, and Bob Fallon. On 1983 paper, the bullpen looked solid, with 48 saves, second in the league. On '84 paper, it's paper-thin. Although Reed (9-1, 3.488 saves) replaces Lamp and his 15 saves, there is not a heater to cool off ninth-inning batters. The best of the lot may be Al Jones, who struck out 124 in 102 Class-A innings at Appleton. Salome Barojas (3-3, 2.47, 12 saves) is back, followed by Juan Agosto (2-2, 4.10), the shoulder-rehabilitated Kevin Hickey (1-2, 5.23), Jim Siwy, and Randy Niemann.

The White Sox won ugly in 1983. They'll be prettier in '84.



**Floyd Bannister
had a terrific second
half for Chicago;
catcher Carlton Fisk
(right) contributed
defense and
offense.**



OAKLAND A'S

The A's were hurting in 1983, suffering baseball's biggest attendance loss (440,000), then spending the winter in casts, splints, and stitches. But because they were healthy in trades and signings, they figure to be the most improved team in the American League this year.

Desperate for a bullpen closer, they traded for Bill Caudill. Weak on the right side of the infield, they signed Bruce Bochte out of retirement for first base and free agent Joe Morgan from the Phillies for second. For the pitching staff, they signed the Expos' free agent Ray Burris and Tim Lincecum from the Orioles. And to back up catcher Mike Heath, they brought Jim Essian back to replace Bob Kearney (traded for Caudill). Although he failed to obtain a right-handed power hitter, president Roy Eisenhardt said, "Of our two major needs, we felt a stopper reliever was more important."

The moves were not lost on Tony LaRussa, whose Chicago White Sox are defending the Western Division. He called the A's "the team to beat." The A's won six more games in 1983 under first-time manager Steve Boros than they won in '82 under Billy Martin and climbed one notch, to fourth place, but still finished 25 games out. Thus, the good housekeeping.

Surgery was performed on three key players, including Mike Norris (4-5, 2.76), who may not pitch for another year (shoulder nerve). Third baseman Carney Lansford followed work on an elbow with work on an ankle, and center fielder Dwayne Murphy had ankle spurs removed.

With patchwork position players and a pitching staff so young its members were known as the Rookie Monsters, the A's had only one player of staff value last year. He was Rickey Henderson, the Incredible Stalking Man who often walked (103 bases on balls) before he ran (108 stolen bases). The only player to record 100 thefts in each of three seasons—no other player has done it more than once—Henderson had hoped to hit .300 with 20 homers, but fell shy with .292 and nine (48 RBI). "I still don't think it's out of the question," Boros said. "In fact, I encourage him."

Boros was encouraged most by additions to the infield, which had 42 errors at shortstop alone as the club finished thirteenth in A.L. defense. He did not gain a new shortstop, but Donnie Hill (.266, 2 HR, 15 RBI) exhibited a strong arm. With a healthy Lansford (.308, 10 HR, 45 RBI) Bochte (.286 lifetime), and Morgan (.230, 16 HR, 59 RBI), the A's are in far better shape. Morgan says he can play. "I don't expect to be in 150 to 162 games a year, but I won't ever be a once- or twice-a-week player, either." Baseball's busiest reserve returns in Bill Almon (.266, 4 HR, 63 RBI). The man for all reasons played 52 games at shortstop, 40 at third base, 38 at first, and nine at second, plus 23 in the outfield. Tony Phillips (.248, 4 HR, 35 RBI), who started at short and switched to second, also is back.

Murphy is the key to the outfield. In three years his average steadily has gone down—to .227 last season—while he continues to strike out (105). He'll be a great help if his ankle is sound and he corrects a big, looping swing. There's nothing wrong with his defense, though. He won his fourth Gold Glove in just five years. And in right field is Michael Davis (.275, 8 HR, 62 RBI), who East



Bay fans are convinced is just a year or two away from greatness. He stole 32 bases. Garry Hancock (.273, 8 HR, 30 RBI) and Mitchell Page (.238, 0 HR, 1 RBI) are outfield survivors until Albany teammates Tom Romano (.320, 24 HR, 39 RBI, 33 SB) and Ron Harrison (.291, 11 HR, 50 RBI, 19 SB) are ready in the system.

Bothered by a bad back, strong-armed catcher Heath (.281, 6 HR, 33 RBI) is supported by Essian (.204, 2 HR, 11 RBI). The A's were last in production from designated hitters, getting only 11 homers and 73 RBI. Davey Lopes (.277, 17 HR, 67 RBI) leaves second base to join Jeff Burroughs (.269, 10 HR, 56 RBI) and possibly Danny Meyer (.189, 1 HR, 13 RBI) in that department. Or the A's may have a revolving-DH system of regulars, including Bochte, Morgan, Lansford, and Murphy.

With Norris and Rick Langford (0-4, 12.15) out with injuries and Steve McCatty 6-9, 3.99) walking more batters (82) than he struck out (65), the mound was a disaster area. The A's used 21 pitchers. Of six rookies, only two—Chris Codiroli (12-12, 4.46) and Tim Conroy (7-10, 3.94)—had '82 major-league experience, totaling just 47 innings. As the veterans disappeared, Keith Atherton (2-5, 2.77), Gorman Heimuller (3-5, 4.41), Bill Krueger (7-6, 3.61), and Mike Warren (5-3, 4.11) joined Codiroli and Conroy to pitch 695 innings, or almost half the A's schedule. Warren's first big-league pitch was wild—against the White Sox. His last pitch of the season wrapped up a no-hitter—against the White Sox. Curt



Young (12-9, 5.05 at Tacoma) gets consideration, too. If these pitchers can cut down the number of walks and get the A's into the late innings with leads, Boros will do the rest by signaling for Caudill (26 saves for last-place Seattle despite his 2-8 record and 4.71 ERA).

Boros's first year was frustrating; his second should be satisfying.

Oakland added reliever Bill Caudill (top) and first baseman Bruce Bochte. Rickey Henderson stole 100 bases for the third time.

CALIFORNIA ANGELS

From those wonderful folks who brought Anaheim fans a fifth-place team that finished 22 games below .500, compared with first place and 24 games above in 1982, come the same players to try it again.

With all their uncertainties, from age and injuries, the Angels went 5-for-5 in retaining their own free agents. Thus, Rod Carew (38), Bob Boone (36), Brian Downing and Doug DeCinces (33), and Ellis Valentine rejoin Tommy John (40), Reggie Jackson, Ken Forsch, and Geoff Zahn (37), and medical cases Bobby Grich (35), Bruce Kison (34), and Fred Lynn and Rick Burleson (32). The only sparkling young player certain to break into this Emergency Room lineup is Gary Pettis, a swift switch hitter who hit the club's first inside-the-park homer in six years in a 4-for-4 day in September. He'll play center field, with Lynn (.269, 22 HR, 74 RBI), the All-Star-Game hero, moving to right.

The possibility of signing of second baseman Julio Cruz (.252, 3 HR, 52 RBI, 57 stolen bases), the catalyst for Chicago's division-champion White Sox, had manager John McNamara toying with the idea of moving Grich to first base and Rod Carew to designated hitter. Then Cruz fooled everyone by re-signing with Chicago. Shortstop Dick Schofield (.204, 3 HR, 4 RBI) takes over shortstop with limited pro experience because Burleson (.286, 0 HR, 11 RBI) isn't certain to come all the way back from rotator-cuff surgery. Darryl Sconiers (.274, 8 HR, 46 RBI) was left dan-

gling at first base when Carew (.33, 2 HR, 44 RBI) re-signed for two years. Mike Brown (.231, 3 HR, 9 RBI after .354, 22, and 106 at Edmonton) went on the outs in the outfield when Downing (.246, 19 HR, 53 RBI and Valentine (.240, 13 HR, 43 RBI) were retained.

New director of player personnel Gene Mauch is responsible for returning these veterans. The man of experience naturally appreciates experience, but age usually means nagging injuries. That's exactly what happened last season when 15 players went on the disabled list, including Burleson twice. "I've been in baseball 30-31 years, but have never had one season that was so frustrating," McNamara said.

Boone (.256, 9 HR, 52 RBI) thinks Mauch, president Buzzie Bavasi, and owner Gene Autry were on the right track by re-signing everyone. "Part of my decision to stay was my having the feeling that the Angels are trying to win again. That was important!" It's important, then, for everyone to stay out of the training room. Still, the average age of the projected '84 lineup, including Pettis and the probable opening-day pitcher, Forsch, is over 33 years.

The biggest woe is pitching. The staff, unchanged except for a few free agents—the Angels have a history of dubious free-agent pitchers—was easier to hit than a batting-practice machine. It gave up 162 more hits than innings pitched, easily the worst in the major leagues. It was last in saves (23), and only five of 14 pitchers had ERAs below 4.00.

Despite shoulder tendinitis, Zahn was the best of the lot, ranking ninth in league ERA (3.33) while posting a 9-11 record. Forsch (11-12, 4.06) was 29th with his ERA and John (11-13, 4.33), who did just fine at home but had an ERA over 7.50 on the road, was 37th. The Angels are still waiting for Mike Witt (7-14, 4.91) to develop. New coach Marcel Lachemann, replacing the retired Tom Morgan, may be able to help. Witt's only 23. Lachemann also will monitor two tall hopefuls: Steve Brown (2-3, 3.52) and Rick Steirer (3-2, 4.82). Kison (11-5, 4.02) may be the best in the bunch, but he underwent spinal fusion and could be out at least until mid-year.

The woeful bullpen will receive booster shots from free agent Frank LaCorte (4-4, 5.06 at Houston), Jim Slaton from Milwaukee (14-6, 4.33), and Curt Kaufman from the Yankee system (6-3, 2.75 and 25 saves at Columbus) for veteran shortstop Tim Foli. They'll join Luis Sanchez (10-8, 3.6) plus John Curtis (1-2, 3.80), Doug Corbett (1-1, 3.63), and Andy Hassler (0-5, 5.45)—all over 30 and all gasping for major-league air.

The defense ranked twelfth in the American League, yet led in double plays (190) despite six shortstops and seven second basemen. This was attributable to so many runners on base. Barring injuries, the team has an All-Star flavor with Carew at first, Grich (.292, 16 HR, 62 RBI before a broken hand) at second, DeCinces (.281, 18 HR, 65 RBI and a bad back) at third, and Burleson at shortstop.

Off the bench are Valentine and Juan Beniquez (.305, 3 HR, 34 RBI) in the outfield and Rob Wilfong (.254, 2 HR, 17 RBI), Steve Lubratich (.218, 0, 7 RBI), and Rick Adams (.250, 2 HR, 6 RBI) in the infield. Backing up Boone is Jerry Narron (.301 at Edmonton, 27 HR, 101 RBI). So much depends upon Jackson (.194, 14 HR, 49 RBI). It easily was his worst season in 16 and drove him to distraction. He'll platoon as designated hitter, probably with Ron Jackson (.230, 8 HR, 39 RBI).

This is a last hurrah team. If the players stay healthy, they could contend. A rise from fifth to second is not unfathomable.

Second baseman Bobby Grich (left) and outfielders Fred Lynn and Brian Downing (right) provide much of the firepower for California.



KANSAS CITY ROYALS

The Royal Scandal is over. Gone from last year's squad are Willie Wilson, Willie Aikens, and Jerry Martin (three-month jail terms, one-year suspensions for misdemeanor drug abuse); Vida Blue (released in mid-season, then jailed for drugs); Amos Otis (released in mid-September), and Gaylord Perry (retired). Great names, gone.

Here's another: Dennis Leonard (6-3, 3.71). The team's top pitcher will be lost the first half and possibly the entire season from two knee operations—same knee. When he went down the first time, so did the Royals. "If the knee goes out again, my career is over," he said.

Of those who served time in jail, only Wilson will return. Pending a hearing with the commissioner's office, he could be back as early as June. The Royals certainly hope so, Wilson having led the A.L. in hitting (.332) two years ago. Although he tailed to .276 last season, he was third in the league in stolen bases (59) and scored 90 times.

"I don't think any of them would have gone to jail as average citizens," owner Ewing Kauffman said. "However, they are not average citizens. They're like the preacher's wife. Their skirts have to be whiter than snow. Willie Wilson, if he cleans up his act, will be a Royal. And we expect him to be an example for the youth of America."

Ah, youth. The Royals will be very youthful this year. Kids will compete for seven jobs in spring training—the entire outfield, two starting pitchers, and two relievers.

There are some fine old-timers back, though, including premier designated hitter Hal McRae (.311, 12 HR, 82 RBI at age 37), venerable second baseman Frank White (33), and pitchers Paul Splittorff (37) and Larry Gura (36). And, of course, the ever-popular George Brett and Dan Quisenberry. A .316 lifetime hitter with eight of ten seasons over .300, Brett at age 30 has more peak years ahead. He may never come close to .390 again (1980), but if anyone besides Boston's Wade Boggs is capable, Brett is. And Quisenberry set a major-league record for saves



(45), forcing a computer to rate him "most productive major leaguer." The Royals were 29-80 in games in which Quiz didn't have a win, loss, or save.

Recognizing old age when he sees it, and correctly fearing the loss of Wilson, general manager John Schuerholz moved quickly with the releases of Blue and Otis during the season, outfielder Cesar Geronimo and pitcher Steve Renko after the season, then trades during the winter meetings. Perhaps his biggest move was the acquisition of big Steve Balboni from the Yankees to take Aikens's place at first base. Manager Dick Howser will put Balboni with Brett and McRae in the order and let him play himself into or out of the majors. With 152 homers in five minor-league seasons, Balboni appears ready to stay. With the Yankees he was .233 with five homers and 18 RBI in just 32 games. Former A.L. manager Don Zimmer predicted 30 homers for the 230-pounder.

Balboni takes offensive pressure off second baseman White, who had to bat anywhere from third to fifth when there was no one else around. His average dipped 38 points, to .260, but his total of 77 runs batted in was a career high. Howser has a shortstop problem: U.L. Washington (.236, 5 HR, 41 RBI) again? Or is it time for Onix Concepcion (.242, 0 HR, 20 RBI)? No one in the league made more errors than Washington (37), but he has better range and stole 41 bases. Scouts prefer Concepcion. He's only 5-6, but plays consistent defense and can also run. In reserve are Greg Pryor (.217, 1 HR, 14 RBI) and possibly Buddy Biancalana (.223 at Omaha). Don Slaught (.312, 0 HR, 28 RBI) catches ahead of John Wathan (.245, 2 HR, 33 RBI), with Wathan ready to spell Balboni at first base.

Butch Davis is the only outfielder conceded a starting position. At age 25 and with .300-plus efforts at three levels last year, including .344 in 33 games with the Royals (2 HR, 18 RBI), Davis is primed. Trouble is, his throwing arm is weak. Look for John Morris to replace Wilson in center. The organization says he's ready, though he's had less than two years as a pro, including .288 at Jacksonville (23 HR, 90 RBI, 30 SB). He was the Southern League's MVP. Other candidates are Darryl Motley (.235, 3 HR, 11 RBI), Pat Sheridan (.270, 7 HR, 36 RBI), Leon Roberts (.254, 8 HR, 24 RBI), and Lynn Jones (.266, 0 HR, 6 RBI with Detroit). From Toronto for Aikens comes Jorge Orta (.237, 10 HR, 38 RBI).

The pitching is a puzzle. Bud Black (10-7, 3.79) is followed by former Dodger Joe Beckwith (3-4, 3.55), Gura (11-18, 4.90), and Splittorff (13-8, 3.63), then a cast of thousands: Frank Wills (2-1, 4.15), Roger Erickson (9-7, 6.04 at Columbus), Keith Creel (2-5, 6.35), and left-hander Danny Jackson (7-8 at Omaha). Mark Gubicza (14-12 at AA Jacksonville) and 19-year-old Bert Saberhagen (10-5 at Ft. Myers) are being watched for mid-season recall.

The Royals finished second despite ranking last in defense and quitting in September (Brett was furious), but will have to find some rubies in the drug rubble to repeat.

The Royals retain third baseman George Brett (top), second baseman Frank White, and A.L. Fireman of the Year Dan Quisenberry (left).

TEXAS RANGERS

In the middle of a skid, Texas rewarded manager Doug Rader and general manager Joe Klein with two-year contract extensions. They deserved them, whipping the Rangers three rungs up the West Division ladder to third place with a 13-game improvement over 1982, tops in the league.

Texas wasn't through. At the conclusion of the season it began construction of super suites which sold out almost immediately, and a DiamondVision message board, then traded two pitchers from its league-leading staff for outfielder Gary Ward, who, it is hoped, will drive in 90 runs. Ward hit .278 with 19 homers and 88 runs batted in for the Twins and was their only All-Star Game representative. He'll be sandwiched in the meat of an order that includes Buddy Bell (.277, 14 HR, 66 RBI), Larry Parrish (.272, 26 HR, 88 RBI), George Wright (.276, 18 HR, 80 RBI), and Billy Sample (.274, 12 HR, 57 RBI, 44 SB).

Sound impressive? It could be, but not off last year, when the Rangers ranked No. 13 across the board in A.L. offense: batting average (.261), homers, runs, slugging percentage, on-base percentage, walks...Zzzzz.

"Our pitching hid our lack of hitting," Klein said. "The second half of the season, we had little production from our catcher, DH, first baseman, and shortstop. After Bell, Parrish, and Wright batted, we didn't do anything until their turn in the order came around again."

Still, because of Wright and Sample, there's hope. Each blossomed in '83 and figures to

improve even more. Of the switch-hitting Wright, Rader said, "I'm not surprised at anything he does physically because he's a specimen, but the patience and discipline he showed for a player of his experience (two years) have been phenomenal." Sample in left field and Wright in center provided one of the league's great plays last year: Wright diving parallel to the ground to catch a drive in left-center that Sample had and then dropped when he slammed into the wall.

Plays like that made Texas No. 1 in defense (only 112 errors) and pitching (3.31 ERA, or

.23 points lower than Baltimore's world championship staff). In Gold Glove voting, third baseman Bell was the league's most lopsided winner, his fifth straight award despite 17 errors.

The rest of the infield is unsettled. First baseman Pete O'Brien paid the price for two years of nonstop baseball from winter ball by hitting only .237 with eight homers and 53 RBI. He'll be in competition again with Dave Hostetler (.220, 11 HR, 46 RBI), who struck out 103 times in just 304 at-bats. Mike Richardt (.157, 1 HR, 7 RBI) had second base secured, but a roll-block slide by Baltimore's

Outfielder Larry Parrish (left) and pitcher Dave Stewart of the Rangers



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AMERICAN LEAGUE



Dan Ford took him out with torn knee ligaments. Wayne Tolleson took over to bat .290 the first half, but slumped in the Texas heat (.260, 3 HR, 20 RBI, 33 SB). And at shortstop, the steady Bucky Dent (.237, 2 HR, 34 RBI) is ready in case rookie Curtis Wilkerson isn't. A lightweight switch hitter, Wilkerson hit .171 in 16 games after .312 at Oklahoma City.

Premier pinch hitter-super sub Bill Stein (.310, 2 HR, 33 RBI) returns at age 34 to fill in where needed, even in the outfield. So does Mickey "Old Man" Rivers, who's too creaky to play the outfield every day, but not too old (35) to platoon at designated hitter, probably with Hostetler. Tommy Dunbar (.281, 4 HR, 65 RBI at Oklahoma City) leads a host of outfielders which includes Kevin Buckley (.293, 32 HR, 104 RBI at Tulsa), Chuckie Canady (.296, 25 HR, 80 RBI at Tulsa), and Nick Capra (.256, 13 HR, 41 RBI at Oklahoma City) to spell Parrish in right.

Ned Yost (.224, 6 HR, 28 RBI), obtained from the Brewers for Rick Sundberg, who had his worst season in ten years, will catch. "I believe Ned will be a top catcher," said Rader, failing to add that Yost only was 13 percent successful in catching base thieves. Former White Sox farm hand Marv Foley (.319 at Denver) and Bobby Johnson (.211, 5 HR, 16 RBI) are in reserve.

Pitching was Texas's pride. With faraway fences and wind whipping in over Arlington Stadium's right-field fence, it should be. Who else should lead the pitchers again but Charlie Hough (15-13, 3.18), who, like Rivers, just keeps rolling along with his knuckleball? Gone from the staff in the Ward trade are 16 total victories from Mike Smithson and John Butcher, but Dave Stewart (10-4 combined with Texas and Los Angeles in the Rick Honeycutt deal with ERAs under 3.00) is back, supposedly with a curve. Also returning are Danny Darwin, who was 8-13, 3.49 despite a bleeding ulcer and a torn fingernail, and lefty Frank Tanana (7-9, 3.16). There's a sleeper in the crowd. He's gangly Al Lachowicz (2.89 ERA at Oklahoma City). Short relief is a weak tossup among Odell Jones (3-6, 3.09, 10 saves), Dave Tobik (2-1, 3.68 and 13 straight runless appearances), ex-Dodger Ricky Wright (11 saves at Albuquerque), Victor Cruz (1-3, 1.44), Dave Schmidt (3-3, 3.88), who had elbow surgery, and ex-Tiger lefty Pat Underwood, a draft selection.

Beefed-up hitting with Ward may help the Rangers reach .500.



Third baseman Buddy Bell (left), outfielder Gary Ward (above), and pitcher Charlie Hough of Texas

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Moved off the team for 1984, however, was the Twins' most productive hitter in '83, Gary Ward. The team RBI leader (88) was traded to Texas for two pitchers.

A booster shot to the pitching corps was top priority. It was last again in the A.L., with a 4.66 ERA, and may have lost Bobby Castillo (8-12, 4.77) for good with a torn rotator cuff. The odds of his returning were given at 50-50. The Twins think the two Rangers in the Ward trade, Mike Smithson and John Butcher, will make an immediate impact. Smithson (10-14, 3.91) moves into the No. 2 spot behind Ken Schrom (15-8, 3.71), while Butcher (6-6, with a one-hitter, 3.51) is long relief-spot starter. Schrom was a great surprise. A bust in other organizations, the deceptive right-hander looks hittable, and sometimes is, but he moves the ball around. There is a fall-off to Al Williams (11-14, 4.14) and left-hander Frank Viola (7-15, 5.49), but each has hopes. Williams skipped winter ball to rest chronic arm woes, and Viola insists he'll pitch inside more often. With eight starts in 26 appearances, Pete Filson (4-1, 3.40) moves into the picture, and maybe Brad Havens (5-8, 8.81) or Larry Pashnick from the Tigers (1-3, 5.26). But Jack O'Connor and Bryan Oelkers fell back last season, leaving Len Whitehouse (a lucky 7-1, 4.15) and Rick Lysander (an unlucky 5-12, 3.38) in long relief. The staff's saving grace is Davis (5-8, 3.34), who was graced with a four-year contract for ranking third in the league in saves (30). "We have the talent to be a contending team in a couple of years," he said.

Part of his prediction was based on Tim Lincecum, one of the league's most exciting rookies at the end of last season. After ranking among the International League leaders in things big (27 home runs and 100 RBI) and little (103 runs and 102 walks), the second baseman from Clemson University hit .308 for the Twins in September. His emergence allowed the Twins to deal Ward and sets manager Billy Gardner up to move Castino (.277, 11 HR, 56 RBI) from second base to third and Gary Gaetti (.245, 21 HR, 78 RBI) from third to left. Gaetti still has a strikeout problem, following 107 in 1982 with 121 last year.

There is a conflict at first base—not in the player, but the goal. Kent Hrbek would like to hit for average, but coach Jim Lemon wants more power. The '82 rookie phenom from Class A didn't suffer much his sophomore year, dropping only slightly from .301, 23 homers, and 92 RBI to .297, 19, and 84. The real infield problem, though, is at shortstop,

with these candidates: Ron Washington (.246, 4 HR, 26 RBI), who is steady afield but lacks range; Lenny Faedo (.277, 1 HR, 18 RBI), who came back overweight from leg rehabilitation at Orlando; and Houston Jimenez, who can field but not hit (.174, 0 HR, 9 RBI).

Gaetti's conversion to left will be a challenge—he was signed as a shortstop. So will Jim Eisenreich's attempted comeback, from a nervous disorder, in center. The Twins, believing he can be a star, dearly need Eisenreich there after Bobby Mitchell (.230, 1 HR, 15 RBI), Darrell Brown (.272, 0 HR, 22 RBI), Rusty Kuntz (traded for Pashnick), and Tom Brunansky were found lacking. Brunansky was not found lacking in right field, where he threw out 16 runners. He hit only .227 but led the Twins in homers (28), game-winning RBI (15), and walks (61) while driving in 82 runs. If Brunansky has to play center, Mickey Hatcher (.317, 9 HR, 47 RBI) finally will have a job in right. He was the toughest player in the league to strike out last year.

Catching is a little uncomfortable. Dave Engle (.305, 8 HR, 43 RBI) converted from the outfield and called a good game, but he lacked mechanics. Tim Laudner (.185, 6 HR, 18 RBI) has a weak arm, and Ray Smith (.224, 0 HR, 8 RBI) is overcoming an arm problem. Randy Bush (.249, 11 HR, 56 RBI), will handle most of the designated hitting.

The Twins improved by ten games in 1983, but unless Smithson and Butcher come through, and Teufel and others make up for Ward's run-producing, they'll fall back in '84.



**First baseman
Kent Hrbek (#14) and pitchers
Ken Schrom and Ron Davis
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SEATTLE MARINERS

Titles for the Mariners came quicker in 1983 than victories as the club sailed backward to the worst record in the major leagues (60-102). Owner George Argyros replaced general manager Danny O'Brien with Hal Keller, gave the presidency to Chuck Armstrong from his real-estate firm, and named Jeff Scott to succeed Keller as player-development director. One thing more: he dumped popular manager Rene Lachemann for Del Crandall.

Although saddled with a baby corps instead of a bumper crop, Crandall was confused after three months. "The thing that hurt the most, mystified me more, was their consistent mistakes. I can't understand it," he said. No wonder. Most were mere babies, including 11 from the farm system.

There are a lot of things Crandall may not understand in the future, but at least he'll have more-experienced players, including outfielders Gorman Thomas and Barry Bonnell. Despite the pinched-in dimensions of their dome home, the Mariners hit only 111 homers in '83 while finishing last in the majors in batting average (.240) and runs (558). And they were shut out 15 times. They had no one in any of 13 top-ten offensive categories. No one hit higher than .294 (Steve Henderson), had more than 19 homers (Pat Putnam), or drove in more than 67 runs (Putnam).

Thomas won't hit for average, and probably will set a Seattle strikeout record—he had 148

with Milwaukee and Cleveland last season—but he'll take power pressure off Putnam (.269), Dave Henderson (.269, 17 HR, 55 RBI), and weak-kneed DH Richie Zisk (.242, 12 HR, 36 RBI). Shattered by the trade to Cleveland from the league-champion Brewers, Thomas slumped to .209, but he worked hard in the offseason to regain confidence from '79, when he led the league in homers (45), and '82, when he tied for the homer lead (39). And he's returning to his roots, having been signed by the original Seattle Pilots. With Bonnell from Toronto (.318, 10 HR, 54 RBI) on base ahead of him, Thomas (22 HR, 69 RBI) is certain to light the board. "We're hoping our ballpark will help him bounce back to his old self," Crandall said.

Other experience is in second baseman Jack Perconte, from Cleveland (.269 in only 14 games), and catcher Bob Kearney, from Oakland (.255, 8 HR, 32 RBI). Kearney and reliever Dave Beard came at a cost from the A's—relief ace Bill Caudill (52 saves in two years). "Our catchers only threw out 25 percent last year. Obviously, this was our first priority," said Keller. Rick Sweet (.221, 1 HR, 22 RBI) will duel Orlando Mercado (.197, 1 HR,

16 RBI) for backup duty. Putnam (.269), Seattle's player of the year after a trade with Texas, should start at first base, but may go to DH if Ken Phelps comes through. Phelps hit .341 at Salt Lake City with 24 homers and 82 RBI before finishing .236, 7, 16 at Seattle as a possible steal out of Montreal's system.

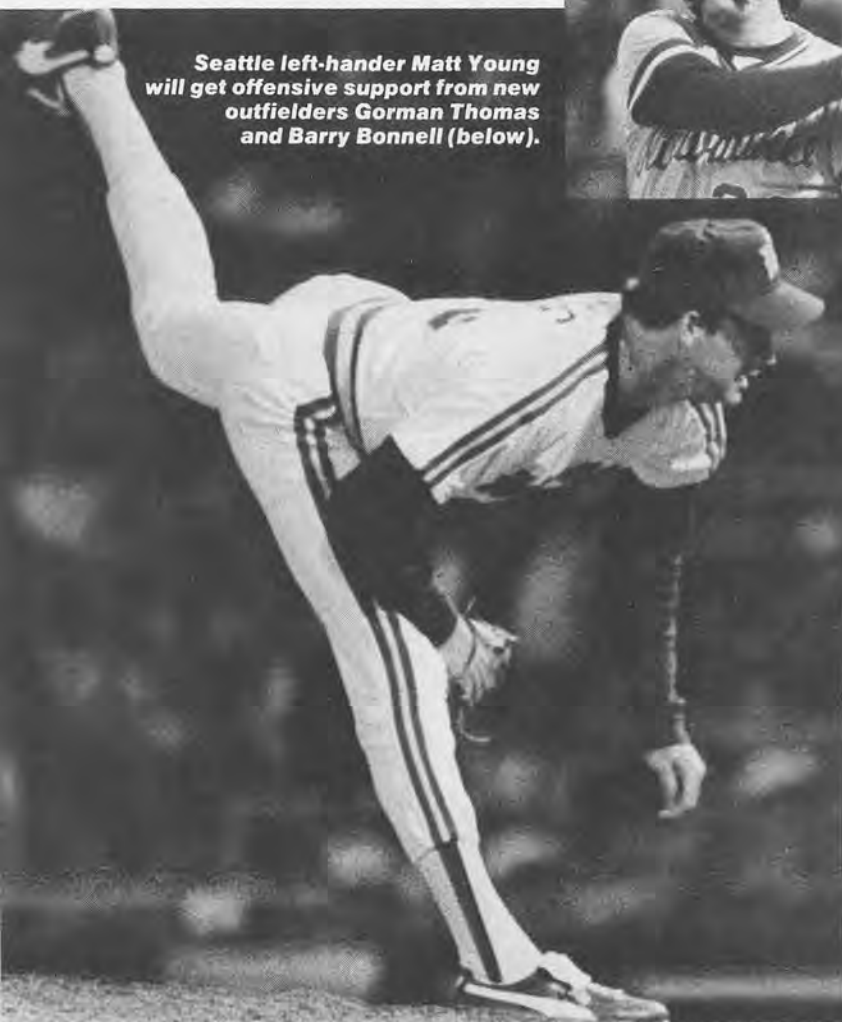
Lost in the Thomas trade was second baseman Tony Bernazard, thus Perconte in return. "The only thing that stands between Perconte and a good career is opportunity," Crandall said. However, Harold Reynolds (.309 at Salt Lake, 54 stolen bases) deserves a look. The Mariners will have to go with youth on the left side of the infield. Spike Owen at shortstop (.196, 2 HR, 21 RBI) and Darnell Coles at third (three teams last year, including .283 briefly at Seattle) represent a wave of prospects rising rapidly through the system, including speedster Donell Nixon, Jim Presley, and Danny Tartabull. Manny Castillo (.207, 0 HR, 24 RBI) and Domingo Ramos (.283, 2 HR, 10 RBI) round out the infield.

With Thomas and Bonnell, the outfield is filled to the brim. Al Cowens returns from an injury that cut him back to .205, 7 homers, and 35 RBI. Back also are Dave Henderson (.269, 17 HR, 55 RBI) and ex-Dodger Ron Roenicke (.253d, 4 HR, 23 RBI). And with any kind of spring training, Phil Bradley could break in. He was .323 at Salt Lake while stealing 36 times. He's an on-base man, averaging over 40 percent in the organization while fielding brilliantly. Another future is Ivan Calderon (.311 at Chattanooga), described as a right-handed Willie Stargell.

If the Mariners have brilliance anywhere, it's the pitching staff which was above the fold (first division of the league) in most categories, including first in strikeouts (910). Left-hander Matt Young blossomed with an 11-15 record and 3.27 ERA; Jim Beattie reached a career high in victories (10-15, 3.84), and Bob Stoddard (9-17, 4.41) set a club pickoff record (nine). Mike Moore (6-8, 4.71) looks like he's ready. With Bryan Clark gone to Toronto for Bonnell, Gene Nelson (0-3, 7.88) and young Edwin Nunez (0-4, 4.38) move up. Caudill's loss puts a burden on Ed Vande Berg (2-4, 3.36), the unpredictable ex-A's Beard (5-5, 5.61), Mike Stanton (2-3, 3.32), Roy Thomas (3-1, 3.45), and ex-Blue Jay Dave Geisel (0-3, 4.64), but it's still a capable bullpen.

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Seattle left-hander Matt Young will get offensive support from new outfielders Gorman Thomas and Barry Bonnell (below).



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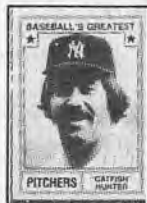


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● When Wade Boggs batted .349 for the Boston Red Sox in 1982, establishing an American League rookie record, he didn't attract much attention. In fact, he finished a far-distant third in the Rookie of the Year voting, behind Baltimore's Cal Ripken and Minnesota's Kent Hrbek. In 1983, when Boggs topped the major leagues in batting—a blistering .361—and in on-base percentage, and also finished among the league leaders in runs scored (100), hits (210), doubles (44), and walks, he still didn't get much fanfare. He finished a ridiculous twelfth in the Most Valuable Player balloting.

But when Wade Anthony Boggs reaches his 1,000th major-league at-bat early in the 1984 season, none will be able to deny him a place among some of baseball history's greatest hitters. Boggs, with 328 hits in 920 at-bats thus far—a .357 pace—is staging one of the fastest individual hitting starts in the annals of the game. Since 1900, only eleven players—eight of them Hall of Famers—have accumulated as many as 340 hits in their first 1,000 tries. Boggs needs only 12 hits in his next 80 at-bats (a .150 pace) to join that elite group.

The left-handed-hitting third baseman has improved steadily throughout his pro career. As an 18-year-old in the New York-Penn League in 1976, he hit a modest .263. The next year he batted .332 for Winston-Salem in the Carolina League. In the Eastern League (Double-A) in 1978-79, he hit .311 and .325. In the International League (Triple-A), he narrowly missed the 1980 batting title, but came back to win it in '81 with a .335 average. Then, of course, came the .349 and .361 marks for Boston. It is altogether probable that Wade Boggs, at age 25, has not yet reached his peak!

Boggs works tirelessly in the batting cage with Red Sox' hitting coach Walt Hriniak. "If you had someone to throw to him for three hours," says Hriniak, "he'd hit for three hours. He has a need to be good, and he's driven by that."

Boggs contributes even when he doesn't hit. On hits, walks, and being hit by pitch, he reached base 303 times in 153 games in 1983, or very nearly twice per game. His startling on-base percentage of .449 was 34 points higher than any other major leaguer's.

An excellent contact hitter with a keen eye, Boggs struck out just 36 times in 582 at-bats last year while placing third in the league with 92 walks. In 1982, he fanned just 21 times (only twice swinging) in 338 at-bats. "He has a tremendous swing and tremendous patience, and he watches the ball longer than most people," notes Hriniak. "Even when he takes a pitch, he'll watch the ball into the catcher's glove, just like Pete Rose or George Brett."

In the early part of the 1983 season, California's Rod Carew seemed to be en route to his eighth batting title, with only Kansas City's Brett appearing likely to offer a serious challenge. At the All-Star break, Carew was at .402, Brett at .364. But Carew hit a mortal .283 from June 1 through the end of the season, finishing second at .339. Brett hit a woeful .206 in August to knock himself out of the race.

Boggs's consistency, on the other hand, was remarkable. He hit .378 in April, .362 in May, .350 in June, and .404 with 27 RBIs in July. When Boggs went 0-for-13 in early August, it marked his longest drought of the season. He missed two

games that month with a slight hamstring pull, then four more games when he was hospitalized with a back problem. Still, Boggs managed to bat .337 in August and .339 in September-October.

As mentioned, Boggs, needing 80 at-bats to reach 1,000, is only 12 hits away from becoming the twelfth player in this century to collect 340 hits that quickly (see chart). However, 20 hits (a .250 pace) will put him in seventh place all-time; 25 hits (.313) will vault him to fourth; and 33 hits (.413) would give him the second-fastest career start in modern history.

It is unlikely that anyone will ever approach "Shoeless Joe" Jackson's all-time record for most hits in the first 1,000 at-bats—he had 389. Jackson, one of the finest natural hitters the game ever saw, batted .356 lifetime, including .408 in his first full season (1911) and .382 in his last (1920). That year, Jackson was implicated in the infamous "Black Sox" scandal and banned from baseball forever, and consequently has been ignored by Hall of Fame voters.

The Phillies' Chuck Klein came the closest to Jackson's modern record, collecting 360 hits in his first 1,000 at-bats. Klein stormed into the big leagues in 1928 as if he were Babe Ruth and Ty Cobb rolled into one. Over his first six seasons, Klein batted a meteoric .359 with four home-run titles and a triple crown. He tapered off considerably thereafter but still wound up with 300 homers, a .320 average, and, finally, a spot in Cooperstown.

Other high finishers in the "fast start" honor roll include the Waner brothers, Paul (the third-fastest start, with 358 hits) and Lloyd (eighth, with 344); converted pitcher Lefty O'Doul (fourth, 352); Kiki Cuyler and slugger Jimmie Foxx (tied for fifth at 351); Johnny Mize (seventh, 347); Sunny Jim Bottomley and Joltin' Joe DiMaggio (tied for ninth, 341). With the exception of O'Doul, all are enshrined in the Hall of Fame. Earl Averill, another Hall of Famer, just missed the exclusive club. He had 339. The Pirates' Bill Madlock (340 hits) is the only current player among the leaders. The career .317 hitter has won four batting titles. Other recent hitters with quick starts include Ralph Garr (326) and Fred Lynn (322), both of whom became bat champs. Rod Carew had only 286 hits in his first 1,000 tries.

Interestingly, each of the twelve fastest starters saw his career average drop below the pace he had established, by an average of 26 points. (Still, all wound up at well above .300.) Conversely, most of the hitters who have finished with a career mark of .340 or higher had relatively quiet starts. Harry Heilmann (.342 lifetime) and Bill Terry (.341) both were under .300 by their first 1,000 turns.

It is not coincidence that most of the players on the list began their careers in the 1920s and '30s. League batting percentages during those two "lively ball" decades averaged .282, as compared to the .260 average of the 1980s.

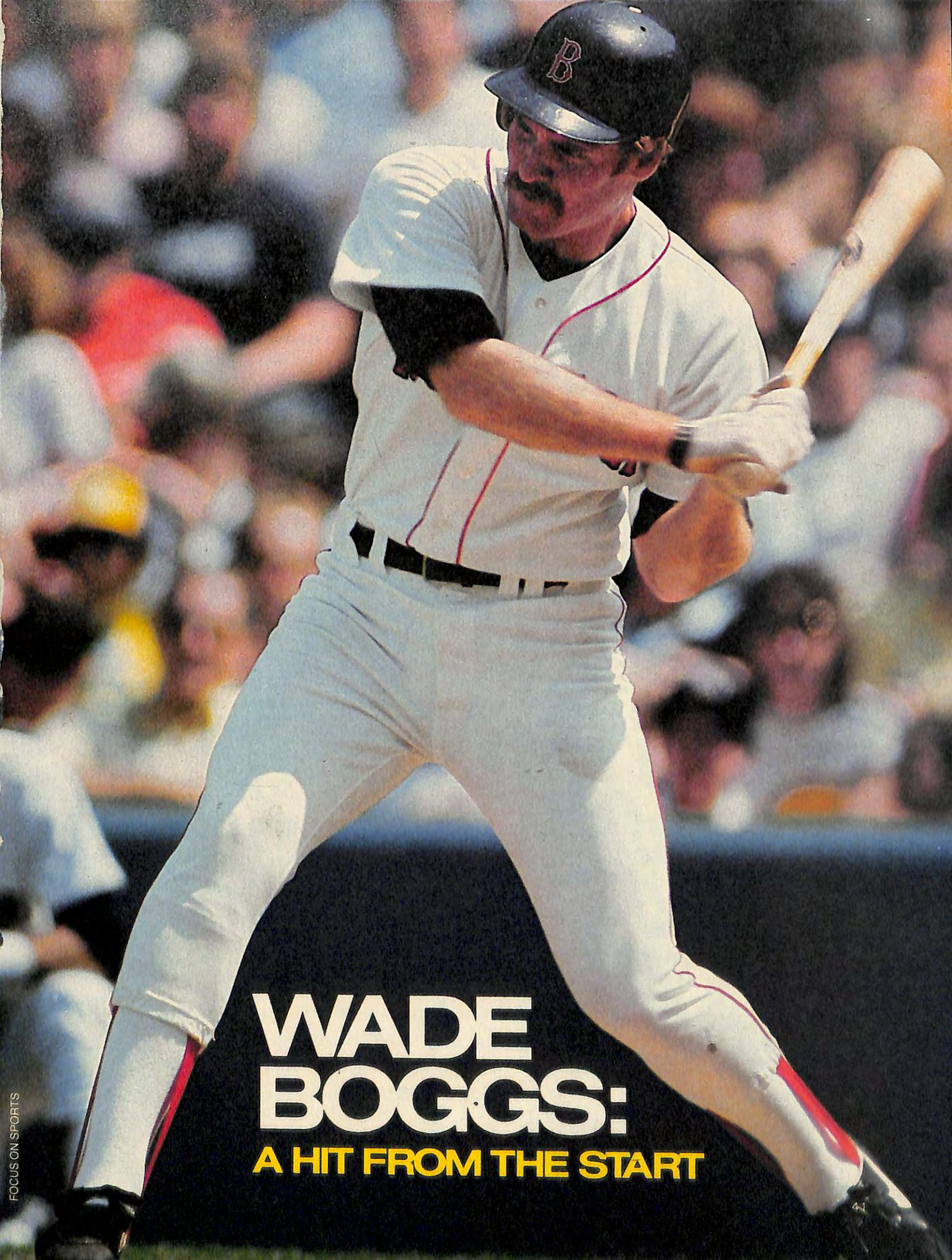
And that makes the achievements of Wade Boggs all the more extraordinary.

MOST HITS IN FIRST 1,000 AT-BATS (Since 1900)

hits	player (bats)	team	year	avg.
389	Joe Jackson (L)	Cleveland Indians	1912	.356
360	Chuck Klein (L)	Phila. Phillies	1930	.320
358	Paul Waner (L)	Pittsburgh Pirates	1927	.333
352	Lefty O'Doul (L)	Phila. Phillies	1929	.349
351	Kiki Cuyler (R)	Pittsburgh Pirates	1925	.321
351	Jimmie Foxx (R)	Phila. Athletics	1929	.325
347	Johnny Mize (L)	St. Louis Cardinals	1938	.312
344	Lloyd Waner (L)	Pittsburgh Pirates	1928	.316
341*	Jim Bottomley (L)	St. Louis Cardinals	1924	.310
341	Joe DiMaggio (R)	New York Yankees	1937	.325
340	Bill Madlock (R)	Chicago Cubs	1975	.317

* Unable to determine exact total.
Team and year refer to time of player's 1,000th at-bat; avg. is for career.
Sources: *The Baseball Encyclopedia* (Macmillan) and *New York Times*

Shoeless Joe Jackson had more hits (389) in his first 1,000 at-bats than any player in major-league history.



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CARL YASTRZEMSKI

Major-league baseball's most durable performer, Carl Yastrzemski, retired last season after playing 3,308 games in 23 years with the Boston Red Sox. His record for longevity in the sport produced the following totals (and his all-time rankings in each): 11,988 at-bats (No. 3), 1,816 runs (No. 11 tie), 3,419 hits (No. 7), 646 doubles (No. 7), 452 home runs (No. 17), 1,844 runs batted in (No. 9), 5,539 total bases (No. 6), and 1,845 walks (No. 3)—of which 190 (No. 2, to Hank Aaron) were intentional.

The fourth player—after Stan Musial, Willie Mays, and Aaron—and the only American Leaguer to amass 3,000 hits and 400 homers, Yaz collected 100 or more hits a record-tying 22 times, won three batting titles, a triple crown and a Most Valuable Player Award, and was chosen for 18 All-Star games. In 1967 he led the league in batting (.326), home runs (44, a tie with Harmon Killebrew), RBIs (121), hits (189), runs (112), total bases (360), and slugging (.622), carrying the Red Sox throughout the season and guaranteeing that Impossible Dream team the pennant by going seven-for-eight in the final two games.

Honored by Boston last October 1 in Fenway Park for his long-time service, Yastrzemski will join the game's immortals in the Hall of Fame five years hence.

CARL YASTRZEMSKI'S CAREER RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB
1959	..Raleigh	.377	120	451	87	170	34	6	15	100	78	49	16
1960	..Minneapolis	.339	148	570	84	193	36	8	7	69	47	65	16
1961	..Boston	.266	148	583	71	155	31	6	11	80	50	96	6
1962	..Boston	.296	160	646	99	191	43	6	19	94	66	82	7
1963	..Boston	.321	151	570	91	183	40	3	14	68	95	72	8
1964	..Boston	.289	151	567	77	164	29	9	15	67	75	90	6
1965	..Boston	.312	133	494	78	154	45	3	20	72	70	58	7
1966	..Boston	.278	160	594	81	165	39	2	16	80	84	60	8
1967	..Boston	.326	161	579	112	189	31	4	44	121	91	69	10
1968	..Boston	.301	157	539	90	162	32	2	23	74	119	90	13
1969	..Boston	.255	162	603	96	154	28	2	40	111	101	91	15
1970	..Boston	.329	161	566	125	186	29	0	40	102	128	66	23
1971	..Boston	.254	148	508	75	129	21	2	15	70	106	60	8
1972	..Boston	.264	125	455	70	120	18	2	12	68	67	44	5
1973	..Boston	.296	152	540	82	160	25	4	19	95	105	58	9
1974	..Boston	.301	148	515	93	155	25	2	15	79	104	48	12
1975	..Boston	.269	149	543	91	146	30	1	14	60	87	67	8
1976	..Boston	.267	155	546	71	146	23	2	21	102	80	67	5
1977	..Boston	.296	150	558	99	165	27	3	28	102	73	40	11
1978	..Boston	.277	144	523	70	145	21	2	17	81	76	44	4
1979	..Boston	.270	147	518	69	140	28	1	21	87	62	46	3
1980	..Boston	.275	105	364	49	100	21	1	15	50	44	38	0
1981	..Boston	.246	91	338	36	83	14	1	7	53	49	28	0
1982	..Boston	.275	131	459	53	126	22	1	16	72	59	50	0
1983	..Boston	.266	119	380	38	101	24	0	10	56	54	29	0

Major League Totals .285 3308 11,988 1816 3419 646 59 452 1844 1845 1393 168

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

1975	..Boston	.455	3	11	4	5	1	0	1	2	1	1	0
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WORLD SERIES

1967	..Boston	.400	7	25	4	10	2	0	3	5	4	1	0
1975	..Boston	.310	7	29	7	9	0	0	0	4	4	1	0
Totals		.352	14	54	11	19	2	0	3	9	8	2	0

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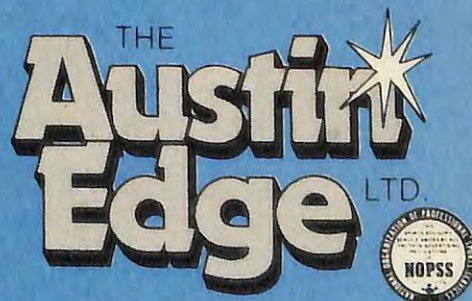
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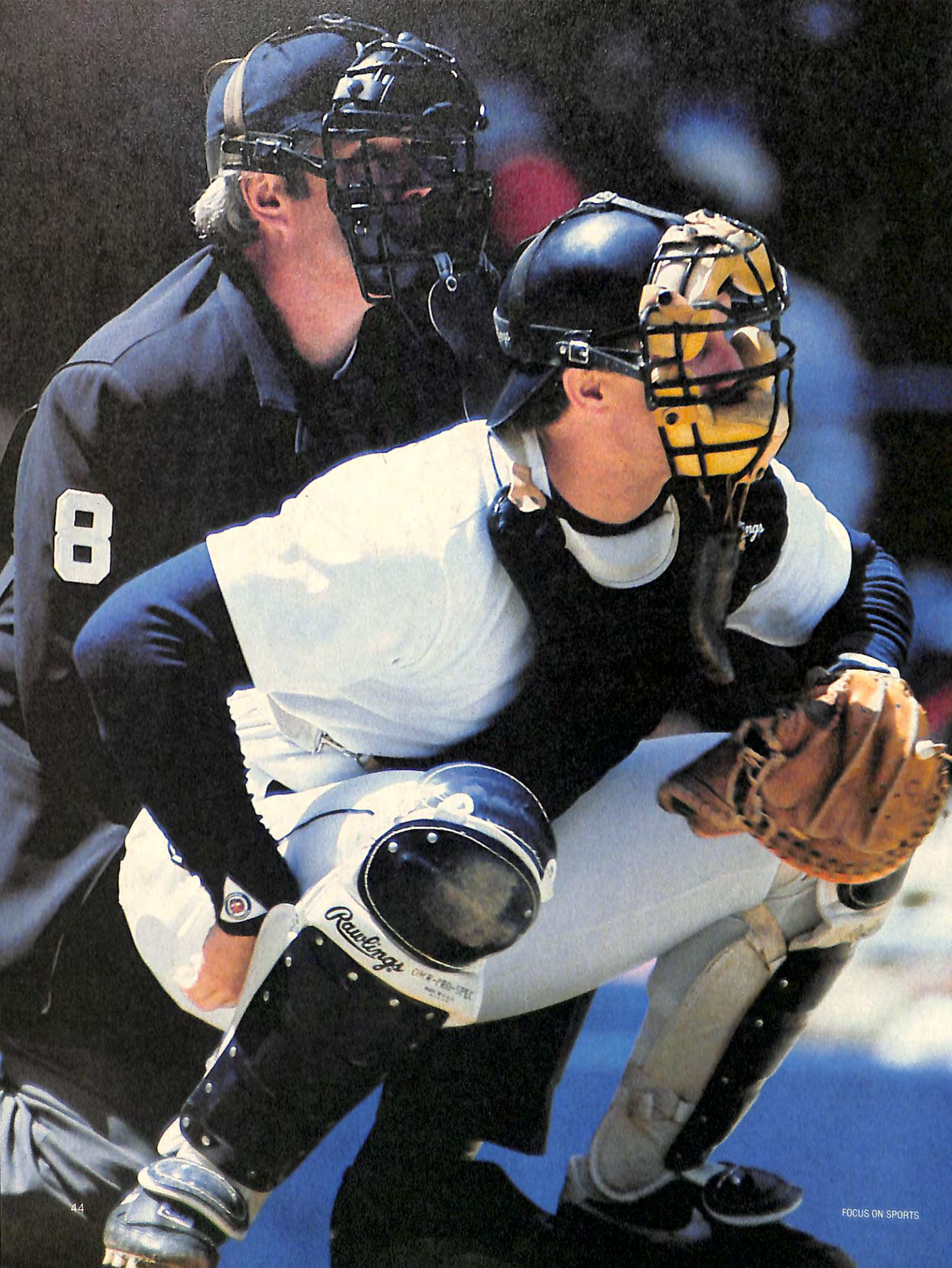
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LANCE PARRISH:

Baseball's Best Catcher Leads by Example

by **Chuck Klonke** MACOMB DAILY

Lance Parrish was getting angrier by the moment. The Detroit Tigers' pitching ace, Jack Morris, was leading the Cleveland Indians, 1-0, in the bottom of the first inning, but the Indians were hammering a war beat to Morris's pitches. Parrish was irritated that Morris was shaking off his fastball signs in favor of a slider or forkball. Finally, Parrish had enough. The Tigers' catcher took a couple of steps in front of the plate and rifled the ball to Morris—a return throw considerably harder than the pitch. Later in the inning, when Detroit pitching coach Roger Craig made a trip to the mound to confer with Morris, Parrish remained at the plate in silent protest.

Morris gave up three runs in that first inning, but the Detroit hitters bailed him out with an 11-4 victory. The mid-June game last season was more than just another win in the standings. It was the day Parrish established himself as one of the leaders on the youthful Detroit team, a franchise that should be a strong contender in the American League East race for years to come.

The Morris-Parrish incident didn't go unnoticed by a pair of Hall of Famers in the Tigers' television booth. "He threw the ball back to Morris so hard it almost knocked him off the mound," remarked George Kell. Al Kaline, Kell's partner on the broadcasts, took notice of the situation immediately. "Lance is telling Jack, 'Shake yourself. You're not throwing as hard as I am,'" Kaline said.

The confrontation in Cleveland wasn't the first between Parrish and Morris. They had exchanged words on the mound and in the clubhouse on other occasions—all stemming from Morris's reluctance to challenge hitters with his fastball.

"I have a hard time communicating with Jack," Parrish replied when asked about his relationship with Morris. "He's more effective when he goes after the hitters. I can't figure it out. He must like to pitch long games," Parrish added.

The two finally had a meeting and reached a truce. Morris, struggling along at the .500 mark when he and Parrish had their final argument, developed into one of the top pitchers in the league and finished with a 20-13 record.

"To have a good relationship with someone, you have to be able to criticize him and he should be able to criticize you," Parrish says. "I have an obligation to say what needs to be said."

One of the criticisms of Parrish when he joined the Tigers in the final month of the 1977 season was that he was too easygoing. He never will be a chatterbox around the clubhouse, but when Parrish speaks, his words carry weight. His style has been mistaken for lackadaisical play, but there is no one on the Detroit team who has worked harder to improve himself. Parrish has developed into a good handler of pitchers. It just took time.

"It's something that's a catcher's responsibility—to take charge of a pitching staff—but to try to be a counselor and a catcher at the same time when you first come up is a difficult thing," Parrish offers. "I think I'm making progress with that, and I feel at the same time that I do take charge when the situation calls for it. Some guys don't think I get on them enough, but I can't do everything. Some guys should take it on themselves to get fired up out there. I don't have pitchers calling time to get me pumped up," Parrish adds with a wry grin.

At 6-3, 220-pounds, Parrish has all the physical tools to become one of the great catchers in major-league history. His manager, Sparky Anderson, minces no words when talking about his 27-year-old receiver.

"I think he's the best catcher in baseball," Anderson said. "He'll have to improve, though, because I want to see him go into the Hall of Fame. The fans here are gonna get spoiled. They're seeing a great one. I feel sorry for the next catcher."

Anderson is no stranger to great catchers. He was managing the Cincinnati Reds when Johnny Bench rose to stardom. Anderson tries to discourage comparisons between Bench and Parrish, but it's obvious he sees the similarities. Bench announced his retirement last summer at the age of 36, and Anderson expressed regrets at the time that he had used Bench as often as he did during his prime. It wasn't unusual for Bench to catch 140 or more games a year, and Anderson feels the wear and tear hastened Bench's retirement. Anderson won't take the same liberties with Parrish's career. He has said Parrish will catch about 120-130 games annually. Of course, in the American League Anderson has the option of using Parrish as the designated hitter.

There was never a question about Parrish's ability to hit major-league pitching. Catching it was a different story. When Parrish joined the Tigers his defense was a liability. He always had a rifle arm, but didn't take full advantage of it because of his positioning behind the plate and his release. Handling low pitches was another problem. In his first few seasons with Detroit, Parrish was among the leaders in passed balls.

Two years ago the Tigers hired Bill Freehan, the catcher on the 1968 champion Detroit team and an All-Star himself several times, to work with Parrish on the mechanics of catching. The improvement was astounding. Parrish became one of the best defensive catchers in the league in 1982, and last season "arrived" as he won his first Gold Glove in voting by the league's managers and coaches.

During his first few seasons in Detroit, Anderson would call Parrish into his office a couple of times a week to tell him not to worry about his hitting, but just to concentrate on developing as a catcher. Those visits with Anderson might have slowed Parrish's development as a hitter and occasionally the fans would get on Parrish for flailing at bad pitches. But as Parrish's catching improved, so did his hitting. He began laying off the bad pitches. He hit with more authority, and the hits came in the clutch.

"Parrish has won three Silver Slugger awards as the top hitting catcher in the American League. He set an American League record for home runs by a catcher in 1982 when he smashed his 31st off Baltimore right-hander Sammy Stewart. Parrish finished the year with 32 round-trippers, 87 runs batted in, and a batting average of .284, two points short of his major-league high of .286 in 1980. Last season, Parrish's batting average fell off a few points, to .269, and his home-run total slipped to 27, but his 42 doubles ranked third in the league and he drove in 114 runs, fourth-best in the A.L.

Named Tiger of the Year in 1982 by the Detroit chapter of the Baseball Writers Association of America, Parrish finished in a fourth-place tie (with Enos Cabell) in the 1983 voting, not because of a drop-off in production, but because of the

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LANCE PARRISH *continued*

outstanding seasons turned in by second baseman Lou Whitaker, shortstop Alan Trammell, and Morris. Ironically, Parrish made a stronger showing in the 1983 American League Most Valuable Player balloting last season. The Tigers' second-biggest vote-getter, he finished ninth overall, with 66 points.

Parrish burst upon the national scene during the 1982 All-Star Game in Montreal. The only Tiger selected for the game, Parrish replaced starting catcher Carlton Fisk in the fourth inning and threw out three of the four National League players who attempted to steal on him. Steve Sax, Al Oliver, and Ozzie Smith were gunned down by Parrish. Tony Pena, who did steal second, was safe by a whisker. In fact, umpire John McSherry's call brought A.L. manager Billy Martin out of the dugout in protest. But Parrish got revenge on Pena the next time the young Pirates' catcher came to the plate as he raced to the dugout to catch Pena's pop foul. Parrish also laced a double off the wall in his first plate appearance against Cincinnati fireballer Mario Soto.

If nothing else, Parrish's All-Star heroics helped set straight the writers, broadcasters, and public-address announcers around the league who kept getting him confused with Texas's Larry Parrish. Until his explosion in the All-Star Game, 1982 had been a season of frustration for Parrish. In spring training at Lakeland, Fla., Parrish was lifting weights to improve his strength and endurance. Anderson took exception to it, figuring Parrish's baseball abilities wouldn't be enhanced because he could push a 300-pound weight around.

"I'm not saying [weights] are for everybody," Parrish says. "A lot of great hitters never lifted anything in their lives but their bats, but I didn't think it was fair for someone to say it wasn't right for me."

"Parrish answered the criticism with the best season of his career, and even Anderson, who holds fast to some of the old baseball theories he learned under Charlie Dressen, grudgingly admitted Parrish's weight program was O.K. with him. "He proved his point," Anderson says. "For me to criticize him now would be ignorant."

No sooner had the weight-lifting episode cooled than a statistical study which appeared in *Sports Illustrated* supplied evidence the 1981 Tigers played better when someone other than Parrish was behind the plate. More fuel for the fire was added when Parrish suffered an early-season injury to his hand and the Tigers reeled off an eight-game winning streak with John Wockenfuss doing the catching. Again Parrish answered the critics by putting together two seasons unmatched by any catcher in baseball.

Maybe it's because of his Adonis-like build, or maybe because of the position he plays, but people have always wanted Parrish to be more of a leader off the field. It isn't his style to be a holler guy. He's one of the quietest Tigers and doesn't engage in the high jinks that are part of the atmosphere of a major-league clubhouse. But Parrish has been vocal at times. Two months remained in the 1982 season when he lashed out at Tiger management. His comments were aimed at the club's fiscal policies, namely its shunning of free agents and trading of home-grown players whose exploits commanded huge contracts. Players Parrish had come up with—Steve Kemp, Ron LeFlore, and Jason Thompson—had been dealt away, and the Tigers were still struggling.

"The front office always says they want to develop young talent and bring them up and have their own home-grown players," Parrish told one of the Detroit beat writers. "Then they bring them up and go ahead and trade everybody. It's money. There's no other way around it. I want to stay in this organization and win in this organization, but I don't think this



team is ever going to win the way they do things."

Parrish was speaking out of frustration, but he might have burned some ears in the front office. Since his outburst, the Tigers have signed Whitaker, Morris, Dan Petry, Chet Lemon, and Larry Herndon to long-term contracts, and last winter they jumped into the free-agent pool to sign infielder Darrell Evans, who is expected to give Detroit some much-needed power at first base.

A year later, Parrish reflected on his statements. "I was a little frustrated," he confessed. "The uncertainty of who would be on the club from year to year made it tough. You can't be a contending ball club by switching guys in and out. Last winter [the organization] made a genuine effort to sign players. The roster is stable. I don't know if it helped, but it sure made me feel better," Parrish said.

In this quiet manner, Parrish has developed into a clubhouse leader, although he downplays the role. "What's a leader?" he asks. "Everybody puts too much emphasis on leadership. Who's to say what? Everybody on this club is a professional athlete. Everybody is at times going to be the leader. When I have to say something, I'll say it. A pat on the back. That's as much help as is necessary. Anyone can pat you on the back once in a while. That's as much as you need," Parrish adds.

There's also the matter of leading by example. Parrish does that, too. Late in May he slipped on the wet artificial turf in Toronto and injured his knee. It didn't feel right the rest of the season. To make matters worse, Parrish made some adjustments in his throwing motion and came up with stiffness in his back and shoulder. Despite those nagging aches, he played in 155 games, 131 of them behind the plate.

Last year's Tigers made a habit of winning games in the late innings as they challenged the World Champion Baltimore Orioles for the A.L. East crown well into September. Parrish was a late-inning hero in many of those victories. His ninth-inning grand slam homer gave Detroit a 4-3 win over Oakland on July 10, and later that month he homered in the twelfth to beat California. An eighth-inning round-tripper by Parrish was the difference in a 3-2 win over Kansas City on August 1, and he homered in the ninth to tie Toronto on September 2 in a game the Tigers won in the tenth.

Detroit boasts a tradition of fine catchers, beginning with Mickey Cochrane, who led the Tigers to pennants in 1934 and '35. Before Parrish's career is over, he might be the best of the bunch.

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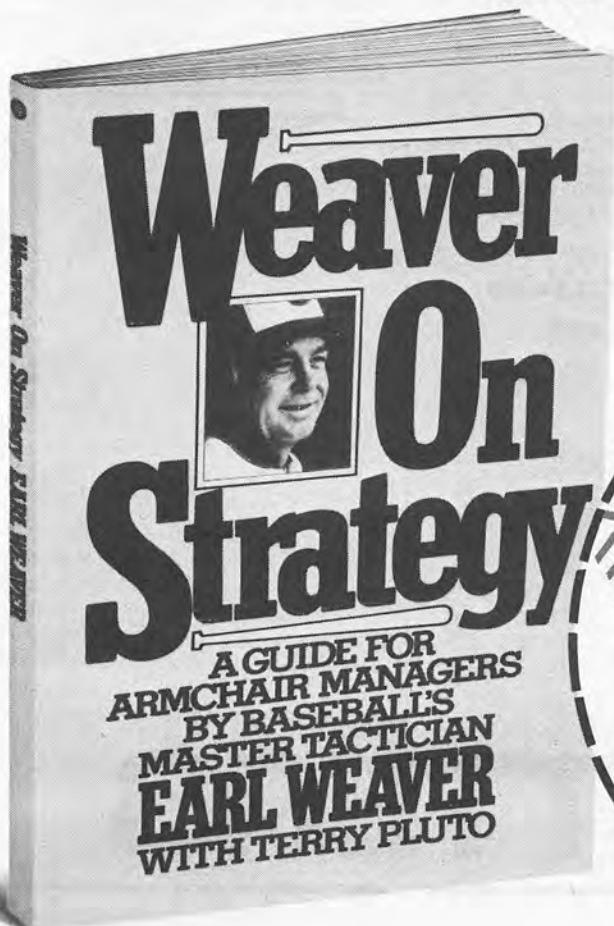
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● There were three no-hit games in major-league baseball in 1983, two in the American League and one in the National.

On the Fourth of July, New York's Dave Righetti shut out the Boston Red Sox, 4-0, before over 41,000 people in Yankee Stadium. It was the first no-hitter in the majors since Houston's Nolan Ryan beat Los Angeles on September 26, 1981, and the first in the American League since Cleveland's Len Barker tossed a perfect game against Toronto on May 15, 1981.

In gaining his tenth win in 13 decisions, Righetti, 25, walked four batters and struck out nine, including Wade Boggs, the league's leader in hits, for the final out. Righetti so dominated the Boston batters, who had pounded Yankee pitching for 38 hits and 25 runs in the first three games of the series, that they were able to mount just two less than serious challenges to the no-hitter. In the fourth inning, Tony Armas bounced a slow ground ball down the third-base line. Bert Campaneris, subbing for an ailing Graig Nettles and playing in his eleventh no-hit game, charged the ball and threw out Armas. Two innings later, shortstop Roy Smalley gloved Glenn Hoffman's soft fly ball in short left field. Steve Kemp also contributed defensively. The Yankee right fielder leaped against the wall to snare Dwight Evans's foul pop for the first out in the eighth inning.

The game marked the end of the first half of the season for both clubs as baseball took its annual midsummer break for the All-Star contest, one whose A.L. roster did not include Righetti. Disappointed at being bypassed earlier for the game, Righetti admitted that he made that emotion work for him and against the Red Sox. The performance was a fulfillment of the promise Righetti had first shown in the minor leagues, where he averaged more than a strikeout per inning in two years in the Texas Rangers' organization. Acquired by New York in a ten-player deal in November of 1978, Righetti compiled an 8-4 record and a 2.06 earned-run average in 1981 to win the Rookie of the Year Award. He added two victories over the Milwaukee Brewers in the Eastern Division playoffs and one over the Oakland A's in the league championship series.

Righetti's no-hitter was the seventh by a Yankee pitcher and the first since Don Larsen's perfect game against the Brooklyn Dodgers in the 1956 World Series. It was also the sixth no-hitter pitched in Yankee Stadium and the first by a left-hander.

BOSTON / NEW YORK

July 4, 1983

● St. Louis's Bob Forsch pitched the second no-hitter of 1983. On September 26, the 34-year-old right-hander blanked the Montreal Expos, 3-0, striking out six batters and permitting just two base runners—Gary Carter, who was hit by a pitch, and Chris Speier, who reached first on an error by second baseman Ken Oberkfell—both in the second inning.

Forsch said that he thought about a no-hitter as he took the mound for the start of the ninth, but that he also remembered those pitchers who earlier in the season had flirted with no-hit bids only to lose them in the late innings. On April 15, the Detroit Tigers' Milt Wilcox came within one pitch of tossing the thirteenth perfect game in major-league history. But Jerry Hairston, a pinch hitter, lined a two-out single in the last inning for the only blemish on Wilcox's near-flawless performance. The next day, Montreal's Charlie Lea lost a bid for his second career no-hitter when the Houston Astros' Terry Puhl blooped a broken-bat single with two out in the eighth inning. The day after that, the San Francisco Giants' Atlee Hammaker set down the first 21 Cincinnati Reds he faced before Johnny Bench broke the spell with a leadoff single in the eighth. (Dann Bilardello, the only other Cincinnati base runner, singled an inning later.) Three near-miss no-hitters on three consecutive days!

Forsch, however, had nary a threatening moment. He required no extraordinary defensive support to help him preserve his masterful job and retired the final 22 Expos in order. For Forsch, who endured a subpar season with a 10-12 record, the win was his first as a starter in two months. More importantly, it was the second no-hit game he pitched in his ten-year career. He is the 25th pitcher in baseball history and the first member of the Cardinals to accomplish the double. Forsch's first no-no came at the expense of the Philadelphia Phillies on April 16, 1978. A year later, Bob's brother, Ken, then with the Astros, held the Atlanta Braves hitless on opening day (April 7, 1979). The Forschs are the only brother duo in major-league baseball to pitch no-hit games.

MONTREAL / ST. LOUIS

September 26, 1983

● The Oakland A's Mike Warren didn't get any votes for Rookie of the Year in 1983, but he did accomplish something that no first-year player had done in ten years: he pitched a no-hit game. On September 29, Warren, a 22-year-old right-hander making only his ninth major-league start, beat the Chicago White Sox, 3-0, and became the first rookie since Texas's Jim Bibby in 1973 to throw a no-hitter.

Warren struck out five and walked three in gaining his fifth victory against three losses. He admitted that by the middle of the game it occurred to him that, "Hey, I haven't given up any hits all night," but said that he didn't begin to get nervous until the eighth. He had his scariest moment in that inning when he grooved a fast ball that pinch hitter Mike Squires drove deep to right field. But Mike Davis, a defensive replacement, caught the ball on the warning track. In the last inning, Warren faced spoilsport Jerry Hairston, who wasn't given the chance to ruin this pitching effort. Warren walked Hairston before retiring the last three batters without incident.

The win was the fourth straight for Warren, who spent 1982 in the California League, where he had a 19-4 record. He started the '83 season at Albany in the Eastern League before being called up to the A's in June. After surrendering three hits and two runs in 1½ relief innings against Chicago in his debut and four hits and two runs in two-thirds of an inning against Toronto in his second outing, Warren was demoted to Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League. Converted to a starter, he struck out 17 in his first game on his way to a 12-5 record. Recalled by Oakland in August, Warren beat the New York Yankees for his first major-league win.

CHICAGO / OAKLAND

September 29, 1983

Dave Righetti struck out Boston's Wade Boggs for the final out in the left-hander's no-hitter last season.

THREE NO-HITTERS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E
RED SOX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
YANKEES	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	4	8	0



BOSTON	AB	R	H	RBI
Remy, 2b	4	0	0	0
Boggs, 3b	4	0	0	0
Rice, lf	1	0	0	0
Armas, cf	3	0	0	0
Evans, rf	3	0	0	0
Nichols, dh	2	0	0	0
Stapleton, lb	3	0	0	0
Newman, c	2	0	0	0
Hoffman, ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	25	0	0	0

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	RBI
Campaneris, 3b	3	0	2	0
Mattingly, lb	4	0	0	0
Winfield, cf	3	1	1	0
Piniella, lf	4	0	0	0
Baylor, dh	3	2	1	1
Wynegar, c	3	0	0	0
Kemp, rf	4	1	2	2
Smalley, ss	4	0	1	0
Robertson, 2b	3	0	1	1
Totals	31	4	8	4

BOSTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW YORK	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	x	4

BOSTON	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tudor (L, 5-5)	7 2/3	8	4	4	4	2
Stanley	1/3	0	0	0	0	0
NEW YORK	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Righetti (W, 10-3)	9	0	0	0	4	9

Error—Boggs. Game-winning RBI—Robertson. DP—Boston 2, New York 1. LOB—Boston 2, New York 7. HR—Baylor (9). SB—Campaneris. T—2:33. A—41,077

MONTREAL	AB	R	H	RBI
Francona, rf	4	0	0	0
Trillo, 2b	4	0	0	0
Dawson, cf	3	0	0	0
Oliver, lb	3	0	0	0
Raines, lf	3	0	0	0
Carter, c	2	0	0	0
Speier, 3b	3	0	0	0
Salazar, ss	2	0	0	0
Roof, ph	1	0	0	0
Flynn, ss	0	0	0	0
Rogers, p	1	0	0	0
Cromartie, ph	1	0	0	0
Schatzeder, p	0	0	0	0
Burns, p	0	0	0	0
Reardon, p	0	0	0	0
Crowley, ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	0	0

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	RBI
L. Smith, lf	4	1	2	1
Lyons, 2b	0	0	0	0
Oberklei, 2b-3b	3	0	1	0
McGee, cf	4	0	2	1
Porter, c	4	0	0	0
Van Slyke, 3b-lf	3	0	0	0
Green, rf	2	1	0	0
Adduci, lb	3	0	0	0
O. Smith, ss	3	1	1	1
Forsch, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	6	3

MONTREAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ST. LOUIS	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	x-3

MONTREAL	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Rogers (L, 17-12)	5	6	3	3	2	3
Schatzeder	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burns	2	0	0	0	1	2
Reardon	1	0	0	0	0	1
ST. LOUIS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Forsch (W, 9-12)	9	0	0	0	0	6

*Pitched to one batter in sixth

Error—Oberklei. Game-winning RBI—O. Smith. LOB—Montreal 2, St. Louis 6. 2B—L. Smith, 3B—Oberklei. SB—McGee, Van Slyke. HBP—By Forsch (Carter), by Schatzeder (Van Slyke). T—2:15. A—12,457

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	RBI
R. Law, cf	4	0	0	0
Fisk, c	4	0	0	0
Baines, rf	3	0	0	0
Luzinski, dh	3	0	0	0
Paciosek, lb	2	0	0	0
Kittle, lf	3	0	0	0
Rodriguez, 3b	2	0	0	0
Squires, ph	1	0	0	0
Dybziński, 3b	0	0	0	0
Fletcher, ss	1	0	0	0
Hairston, ph	0	0	0	0
Hulett, 2b	2	0	0	0
Walker, ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	26	0	0	0

OAKLAND	AB	R	H	RBI
Henderson, lf	3	1	1	0
Peters, cf	4	0	1	0
Lopes, 2b	3	1	2	1
Davis, rf	0	0	0	0
Burroughs, dh	4	1	2	2
McNealy, pr	0	0	0	0
Heath, c	4	0	1	0
Almon, 3b	2	0	0	0
Gross, 3b	0	0	0	0
Phillips, ss-2b	3	0	0	0
Meyer, lb	2	0	0	0
Quinones, rf	3	0	0	0
Hill, ss	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	3	7	3

CHICAGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OAKLAND	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	x-3

CHICAGO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Burns (L, 10-11)	8	7	3	3	3	2
OAKLAND	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Warren (W, 5-3)	9	0	0	0	3	5

Game-winning RBI—Lopes. LOB—Chicago 2, Oakland 5. 2B—Lopes 2, Heath. HR—Burroughs (10). HBP—By Burns (Davis). T—2:20. A—9,058



50 YEARS OF ALL-STAR-GAME MEMORIES

Last summer marked the 50th anniversary of the first All-Star Game, a classic created to coincide with the Chicago World's Fair of 1933 and now an annual and significant part of a baseball summer.

There was so much history, so many memories for the 12 original All-Stars who walked on the field at Comiskey Park in Chicago last July 6. They had come home again, these great players of 50 years ago, to relive the magic of that first afternoon as All-Stars. Carl Hubbell kidded Joe Cronin and Lefty Gomez kidded everybody and thousands of fans gloried in this reprise of one of America's storied sports events.

"Just being here is so marvelous," said Joe Cronin, the retired president of the American League who has put on some girth since he was the slugging shortstop of the Washington Senators that day. "We thought it was a one-time exhibition. We never imagined it would come to this, 50 years later, still a wonderful baseball event."

A man named Arch Ward was a sports columnist for the Chicago *Tribune*. His newspaper was active in the promotion of the city of Chicago and the great World's Fair that first summer of Franklin Roosevelt's administration. The country was fighting a depression and every lift was important to the national morale. "People were really down," said Cronin. "For some of them, baseball was the only way to forget."

Ward came up with the idea of a special game in conjunction with the Fair, a special event for the city, the state of Illinois, and the country. He wanted to bring the best in the game to Comiskey Park and he wanted to advertise his city and his Fair. Ward got the go-ahead from his paper, and it was soon a growing passion with the veteran sportswriter. Both leagues went for the idea. The *Tribune* promoted it heavily, and on the afternoon of July 6, 1933, exactly 50

The 1933 American League All-Stars. Top row, l-r: bat boy, Conroy, Gehrig, Ruth, Hildebrand, Mack, Cronin, Grove, bat boy, Dickey, Simmons, Gomez, W. Ferrell, Dykes, and bat boy. Bottom row, l-r: Schacht, E. Collins, Lazzeri, Crowder, Foxx, Fletcher, Averill, Rommel, Chapman, R. Ferrell, West, Gehringer, and bat boy.

years to the day of the 1983 game, the game's elite gathered in Chicago.

"The exciting thing was just walking in that clubhouse and having all the great stars together," said Cronin. "Nobody was bigger than the Babe, of course, and I was a little in awe of him. Everybody was. 'Hiya, keed,' he yelled as I walked across the room. That was Babe's greeting to everybody. He kidded more with his own guys—Lou Gehrig, Bill Dickey, Lefty Gomez—but he had a word for everyone."

The Yankees were the dominant team in baseball, only six seasons removed from 1927, the year Ruth hit 60 homers and the Yankees won 110 games to edge out second-place Philadelphia by only 19 games.



by Maury Allen NEW YORK POST

"People always came out to see the Babe, wherever we were," said Gomez. "We knew the All-Star Game would be a hit as soon as we knew the Babe would play in it."

The American Leaguers wore their own home uniforms—the Babe in his Yankee pinstripes, Lefty Grove in his Boston whites, and so on—while the National Leaguers came dressed in specially-made All-Star uniforms. The big sluggers of the National and the American Leagues showed off their wares during batting practice. The crowd of 47,595 could hardly be more excited as the game finally began, with St. Louis left-hander Wild Bill Hallahan starting for the N.L. and Lefty Gomez, who would start five of the first six All-Star games for an incredible measure of consistency, pitching for the American Leaguers.

In the second inning, Gomez, one of the world's worst hitters, cracked a line drive over shortstop for a single and the All-Star Game's first run batted in.

"That was a shocker," said Gomez. "I never hit a ball hard enough to break a bat. In fact, I broke my first bat only this year. I ran over my grandson's while I was pulling out of my driveway."

In the third inning, Ruth delivered as the fans, the American League, Arch Ward, and probably the National Leaguers knew he would. He slammed the All-Star Game's first homer. The game was a hit as the A.L. won, 4-2.

"As soon as the Babe hit that ball you could feel the excitement in the park," said Cronin. "Just about every time he got on the ball field he did something exciting. I've seen them all,



my guy Ted Williams at Boston and Ty Cobb and Stan Musial and Willie Mays and Joe DiMaggio, but there was only one Babe. He was the best there ever was."

Baseball fans continued talking about the game for many weeks afterward. There was general approval when the game was scheduled again in 1934, this time in the famed Polo Grounds, home of the New York Giants.

"I think that was the game that really established it as an annual event," said Cronin. "The first time might have just been a fluke. But if it went over again and it went over in New York, we knew it would be a regular part of the baseball season."

Chuck Klein of the Phillies and catcher Rick Ferrell of the Red Sox (left) in the 1933 game; Jimmy Dykes (above) scores the first run in All-Star-Game history; the Giants' Carl Hubbell opposed the Yankees' Lefty Gomez in the '34 game.

Player-manager Bill Terry was the field skipper for the National League after leading the Giants to the 1933 title. He selected his own left-hander, Carl Hubbell, as the starting pitcher for the game.

"It was a great thrill to be in there," said Hubbell, who still works for the Giants at the age of 80. "It was even a bigger thrill to do it before the home fans in New York." He had pitched one of baseball's more memorable games ever in 1933, an 18-inning shutout over Tex Carlton and the St. Louis Cardinals. Now he was starting the second All-Star Game and facing an incredible lineup: Charlie Gehringer at second, Heinie Manush in left, Ruth in right, Gehrig at first, Jimmie Foxx at third, Al Simmons in center, Cronin at short, Dickey catching, and Gomez again on the mound. Each of the players in that 1934 A.L. starting lineup today is a member of the baseball Hall of Fame.

"I guess I was a little nervous when the game started and I didn't have my real good stuff," remembers Hubbell. "It was an inspiring lineup and a great challenge. I just wanted to be careful against all of them."

The guy the Giants called the Meal Ticket, a lanky 6-1 and 175 pounds, opened the game by allowing a single to Gehringer. A Detroit teammate, Hank Greenberg, later to earn his Hall of Fame credentials with his home-run hitting, once said of Gehringer, "He played 19 years and never had a bad day, not one."

Hubbell pitched carefully to Manush, a strong left-handed batter, and walked him. The next hitter was Ruth, followed by Gehrig and Foxx, not an easy situation. Catcher Gabby Hartnett walked to the mound to talk to Hubbell. "Carl," said Hartnett, "throw the screwball. It always gets me out."

The screwball was Hubbell's big pitch. He had stayed away from it with the first two batters. But finding himself in trouble, he went to his strength. Hubbell got two quick strikes on the Babe. Ruth was 39 years old that summer but still a feared hitter (he would hit 22 homers that season in his final

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Yankee year), and Hubbell knew a mistake could wind up in the bleachers. He looked at second base, stretched, and threw a screwball that broke back into the Babe, who stared at the darting pitch. It was strike three.

Hubbell then went to work on Gehrig. Lou, at the peak of his career, would have his finest season and win the Triple Crown with 49 home runs, 165 RBIs, and a .363 average. He also had an incredible slugging average of .706. "Gehrig was one of the strongest hitters I had ever seen. He could hit the ball out of the park in any direction," Hubbell said. Gehrig fell behind on the count at 1-2. Going to his strength again, Hubbell broke another screwball in on the left-handed-hitting Yankee first baseman. Gehrig, fooled on the pitch, took a mighty swing and missed for strike three. Two out.

So it was up to Foxx to bring the runners home. He had come close to Ruth's home-run record with 58 for the Philadelphia A's in 1932. He had 48 homers in 1933 and would hit 44 in 1934. He was a right-handed hitter and Hubbell, the lefty, used that screwball again. This time the pitch broke away from the hitter on a 2-2 count as the crowd went wild.

Ruth, Gehrig, Foxx. In the second inning, Hubbell struck out Simmons and Cronin. Five consecutive strikeouts against five of the toughest hitters in the game before Dickey broke the spell with a solid single.

"I was always upset at him over that," said Gomez. "After Bill got the hit, Hubbell struck me out. If Dickey had struck out, people would be talking about the seven great hitters—Ruth, Gehrig, Foxx, Simmons, Cronin, Dickey, and Gomez—that Hubbell got. I would be up there with Babe and Lou instead of down here with the .140 hitters."

That game was eventually won by the American League, 9-7, when the hitters unloaded on Lon Warneke, Van Mungo, and Dizzy Dean, and it established the event as a national institution. "From that time on you measured your season by how well you did before and how well you did after the All-Star Game," said Gomez.

The game has been a collection of incredible events through the years with brilliant play, individual heroics, and some of the finest baseball seen at any time.

"I have always enjoyed the All-Star Game," said Reggie Jackson. "You know you are part of the best in your business. You want to perform well before your peers."

A.L. manager Del Baker congratulates Ted Williams on his three-run game-winning homer in the 1941 classic.



The American League won for the third straight time in 1935, but the National League came back with its first win in 1936. The score was 4-3, and the goat of the game was an American League rookie right fielder by the name of Joe DiMaggio. The Yankee Clipper was hitless in five trips to the plate, though his last at-bat was a line drive which nearly tore the glove off shortstop Leo Durocher's hand. DiMaggio almost lost the game as early as the second inning when he missed a shoestring catch on Hartnett's shot that went for a triple and fumbled a single hit by Billy Herman that set up the winning run.

The next four games were split, but then came the 1941 game, maybe the most dramatic All-Star Game ever played and one of baseball's most thrilling moments. The scene was Briggs Stadium in Detroit, where a packed house of 54,674 watched as the National League's Claude Passeau took a two-run lead into the ninth. Passeau wavered a bit and loaded the bases with one out. Joe DiMaggio, who had a consecutive-game hitting streak of 49 on the way to his record of 56, ground a curve ball to shortstop for a forceout and a run. The score was 5-4, with two out. Passeau seemed in control, but the hitter was Ted Williams, on his way to baseball's last .400 season.

"I was looking for his curve ball," Williams said, years later. "That was the pitch he was famous for. Most pitchers go to their best pitch when they are in trouble." Williams took a fast ball for a strike, then geared up for Passeau's curve. The pitch came in a little high and the great Red Sox slugger drove it on a line deep into the right-field seats. The picture of Williams dancing around the bases and clapping his hands was a rare one for the usually placid, undemonstrative Boston left fielder. The players on the American League squad rushed out to greet Williams in front of the dugout, an uncommon public exhibition of joy for ballplayers in those pre-television days.

"I had a lot of thrills in the game," said Williams, "and that home run certainly ranks near the top." The home run was a major sports moment and fans were reading and talking about it for years. The measuring stick for dramatic All-Star wins, it has been equaled a couple of times but certainly has never been topped in game-ending thrills.

The game continued to fascinate the fans through the early 1940s. With the war on, the crowd was a meager 29,589 in 1944 at Pittsburgh's Forbes Field. Most of the star players were in the service, and the rosters were filled with older players and 4Fs, the non-servicemen who were keeping the game going while DiMaggio, Williams, and other younger stars were away.

The 1945 game was scrapped. The big boys came back in 1946 and Williams, a World War II Marine fighter-pilot hero in the South Pacific, celebrated his return to All-Star action, picking up where he left off in 1941. The Splendid Splinter hit two homers, cracked two line-drive singles, drew a walk, scored four runs and knocked in five as the Americans won, 12-0, to take a 9-4 lead in games.

Baseball was booming in the postwar era and was also undergoing significant change. In 1947, Jackie Robinson made his debut as the first black in big-league baseball. In 1949, Robinson, with Dodger teammates Roy Campanella and Don Newcombe, and Larry Doby of the A.L. Cleveland

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Indians broke the color line in All-Star play, fittingly enough in Brooklyn's Ebbets Field, the Dodgers' home stadium.

The National League snapped out of an All-Star slump at Comiskey Park in 1950 when second baseman Red Schoendienst of the Cardinals hit a homer in the fourteenth inning to win it. Ralph Kiner had homered for the Nationals in the ninth to tie the game. "As things developed, my homer was forgotten for two reasons," said Kiner, now a New York Mets' broadcaster. "First off, nobody remembers a homer which ties a game when someone hits a homer, as Schoendienst did, to win it. Secondly, I hit the long drive to Williams." Kiner had slugged a rope in the first inning off Vic Raschi of the Yankees, but Williams banged into the wall as he raced back for the catch. Williams, who enjoyed the All-Star Game as a showcase for his talents, remained in the contest despite a great deal of pain. The next day, x-rays revealed that Williams had fractured his elbow.

The National League recorded another dramatic victory in 1955 when Stan Musial hit a twelfth-inning homer for a 6-5 win in Milwaukee. "I was getting real tired," Musial remem-



Johnny Callison's three-run homer won the 1964 game for the National League; Pete Rose scored the winning run for the N.L. in the 1970 contest; Fred Lynn (#19) hit the first grand-slam home run in All-Star history in 1983.

bered. "I went up to the plate, turned to Schoendienst, who was batting ahead of me, and said, 'I'm gonna end this thing.' Then I caught one."

The National League pulled even in 1964 at 17-17-1 in All-Star play when Willie Mays worked a walk into a four-run rally. Mays walked, stole second, and scored on a bloop single. A walk and Johnny Callison's homer made it a 7-4 N.L. victory in New York's Shea Stadium.

Reggie Jackson pinch-hit a monstrous home run off an electric power station above the stands in the 1971 game at Detroit, as the A.L. won, 6-4. It was the last victory for the junior circuit through 1982, over eleven straight games.

After the 1982 game, a 4-1 National League victory in Montreal, the game seemed to be in decline. The National League, which had gained strength over the previous two decades by being quicker to sign and use black players, had become truly the dominant league. More and more good players found their way into the league, and most of them could run. The National League was deeper in talent and played the game to the hilt. The American League saw it as an exhibition.

"When we come out here," said Pete Rose, who won the 1970 game in his home park at Cincinnati with a ferocious headfirst slide into catcher Ray Fosse, "we play to win. We aren't interested in getting all the players into action. We are out to beat them [the A.L.]."

The National League just kept winning through the 1970s and into the 1980s. The American League got close a couple of times, but their losses piled up. Finally, in 1983, triggered by long home runs by Jim Rice and Fred Lynn, former teammates on the Boston Red Sox, the A.L. crushed the N.L., 13-3. Now I can retire happy," said Lee MacPhail, the outgoing American League president.

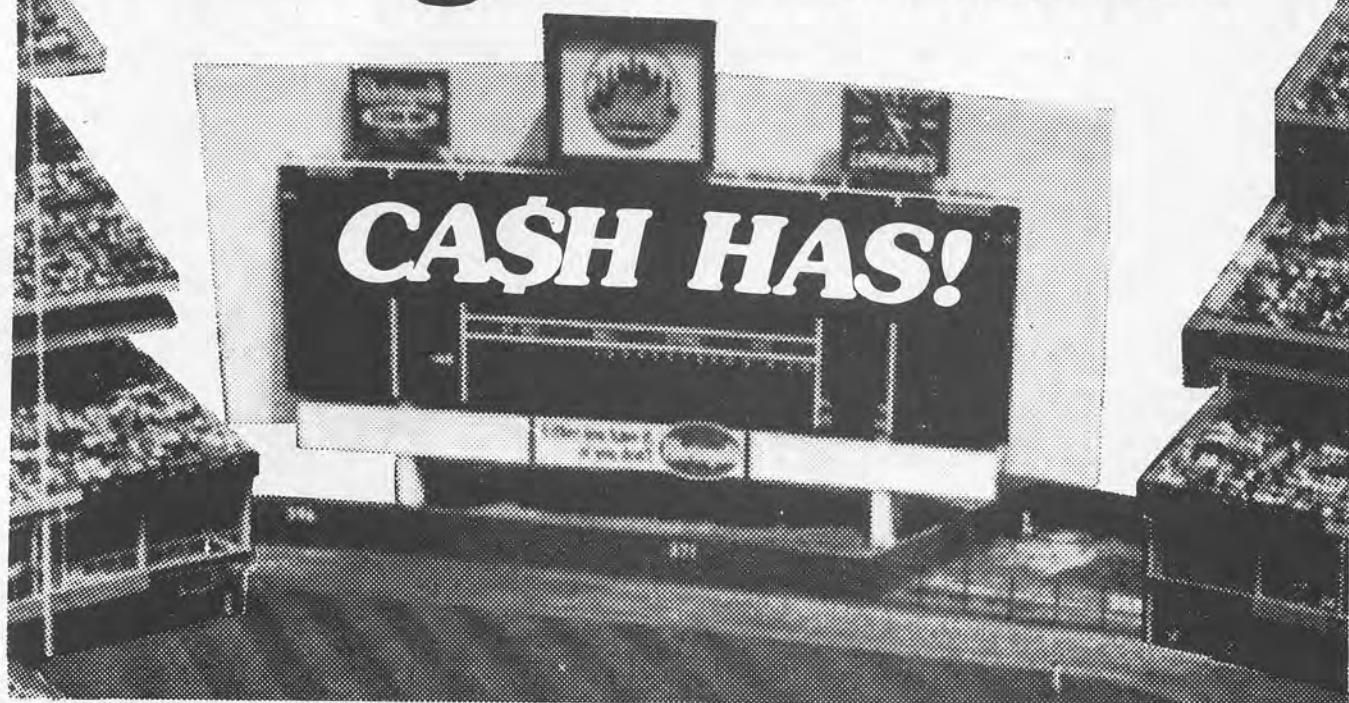
The 54th All-Star Game (there were two games played from 1959-1962 in a terribly ill-conceived money-grabbing scheme) in Chicago was overshadowed by the nostalgia surrounding the reunion of the 1933 All-Star players. "When I was named to that team it was a thrill," said Charlie Gehringer, "and I guess it is even a bigger thrill to be back for this one." Gomez said that he "could almost feel the presence of the Babe at a thing like this. He liked a party and this is one swell [one]."

Most of the returnees were in their mid 70s and early 80s, but none showed any less enthusiasm than they had a half a century earlier. "I'm sure glad they started this game," said Gomez. "It gave me a chance to hit against the best."

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CY YOUNG AWARDS

LaMarr Hoyt of Chicago won the American League Cy Young Award in 1983, the first White Sox pitcher since Early Wynn in 1959 to be so honored. He received 17 of a possible 28 first-place votes, ten second-place votes, and one third-place vote for 116 points.

A 29-year-old right-hander with superb control (he issued just 31 bases on balls in 260 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings), Hoyt won 24 games, tops in the major leagues, including his last 13 starts during the regular season as the White Sox easily captured the Western Division title. He then outdueled Baltimore's Scott McGregor in game one of the league championship series before the Orioles recovered to win the following three contests and the pennant.

Hoyt was acquired from the New York Yankees with Oscar Gamble, Bob Polinsky, and cash for Bucky Dent in April of 1977. He spent more than three full seasons in the Chicago farm system before being promoted to the big leagues, where he compiled an 18-6 record chiefly as a relief pitcher in 1980-81. Converted to a starter in 1982, Hoyt won a league-high 19 games, a feat which failed to earn him a single vote in that year's Cy Young Award balloting.

Dan Quisenberry was the runner-up in last season's election. The A.L. Fireman of the Year, Quisenberry set a major-league record with 45 saves for the Kansas City Royals. He collected 81 points on nine first-place votes, 11 seconds, and three thirds. He was followed by the Detroit Tigers' Jack Morris, the league leader in innings (293 $\frac{2}{3}$) and strikeouts (232), who received two first-place votes and 38 points. Rounding out the voting were Richard Dotson of Chicago with

nine points, Ron Guidry of New York with five points, and Scott McGregor of Baltimore with three points.

John Denny of the Philadelphia Phillies was chosen the best pitcher in the National League. He collected 20 of a possible 24 first-place votes and one second-place vote for 103 points. It was the second Cy Young Award in as many years for a Phillies' pitcher. (Steve Carlton won in 1982 for an unprecedented fourth time.)

Denny, a 31-year-old right-hander, won a league-high 19 games for the pennant-winning Phils and posted a 2.37 earned-run average over 242 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings. He helped pitch his team to the Eastern Division flag by winning 13 of his final 14 decisions. It was the best effort of Denny's nine-year career and a remarkable turnaround from a 1982 season in which he compiled a 6-13 record and a 4.87 ERA with Cleveland and Philadelphia.

Mario Soto was second in the balloting. A 17-game winner with a 2.70 ERA and an N.L.-leading 18 complete games for the last-place Cincinnati Reds, Soto received 61 points on two firsts, 15 seconds, and six thirds. Jesse Orosco of the New York Mets had one first-place vote and 19 points. The Montreal Expos' Steve Rogers collected one first and 15 points for fourth place. He was followed by Larry McWilliams of the Pittsburgh Pirates with seven points, Al Holland of Philadelphia with four points, Craig McMurtry of the Atlanta Braves with three points, Bob Welch of the Los Angeles Dodgers with two points, and Nolan Ryan of the Houston Astros and Lee Smith of the Chicago Cubs with one point each.

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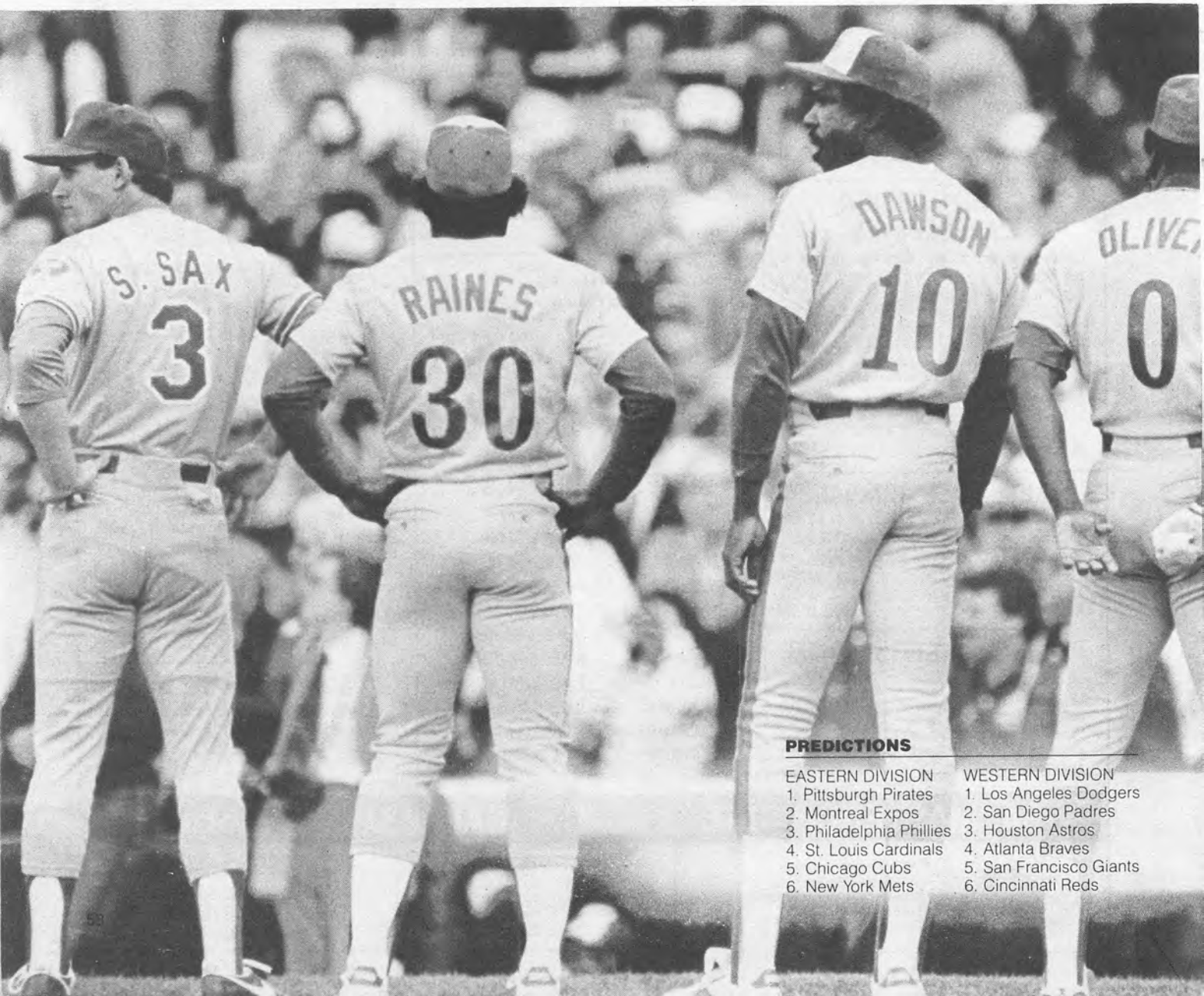
NATIONAL LEAGUE

There are early indications that as many as eight teams will have royal chances of winning the 1984 National League championship, and that four teams in each division could become involved in photo finishes. It will be extremely difficult for either of last season's division champions to repeat. Philadelphia, the eventual N.L. titlist, is apt to miss the leadership departed veterans Joe Morgan, Pete Rose, and Tony Perez provided in the September stretch run. Los Angeles has been weakened by the loss of star left-handed reliever Steve Howe, suspended for the entire season for drug involvement.

The Pittsburgh Pirates, the hottest team in the league after June 18 (.592 pace), have assembled one of the league's deepest pitching staffs and have good overall balance. That and the motivational ability of manager Chuck Tanner should give Pittsburgh its second pennant in six seasons in a play off against Los Angeles.

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6. Cincinnati Reds

around. The signing of Pete Rose as a free agent and the acquisition of a much needed left-handed reliever, Gary Lucas, could supply the missing links that have kept Montreal from living up to its potential.

The Dodgers, who combine speed and power with the league's finest four-man starting pitching rotation, appear thin in the bullpen and must improve on their porous defense, but again appear the team to beat. The Western Division race could hinge on whether they can play better than they did last year against the San Diego Padres, who became one of the league's most improved teams with their signing of free-agent reliever Rich "Goose" Gossage, the former Yankee.

Houston, with its wealth of pitching and fine, young double-play combination (Dickie Thon-Bill Doran) could surprise in the West if it avoids, as it should, its horrendous start of a year ago. Atlanta, the 1982 Western Division winner and 1983 runner-up, will be minus former knuckleballer Phil Niekro for the first time since 1966, and is threatened with the loss of right-hander Pascual Perez, under indictment in his native Dominican Republic on a charge

of cocaine possession. However, the Braves could be contenders because of center fielder Dale Murphy, who'll bid for the N.L. Most Valuable Player Award for the third season in a row.

San Francisco, weakened by the loss of leading slugger Darrell Evans, is a long shot in the West. Cincinnati, New York, and Chicago all lack contending ability, though each should show at least modest improvement.

The N.L. will welcome three new managers—Davey Johnson at New York, Jim Frey at Chicago, and Vern Rapp at Cincinnati. Paul Owens returns at Philadelphia, Tanner at Pittsburgh, Bill Virdon at Montreal, Whitey Herzog at St. Louis, Tommy Lasorda at Los Angeles, Joe Torre at Atlanta, Bob Lillis at Houston, Dick Williams at San Diego, and Frank Robinson at San Francisco.

What promises to be one of the league's more exciting seasons will begin April 2 at Cincinnati, marking the circuit's earliest opener in modern times. Unseasonable cold and a rash of postponements early last season have resulted in a radical scheduling departure that will find Eastern Division teams

opening the season on the road against the West in more temperate cities such as San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Houston, and Atlanta. It'll be early May before the Padres, Dodgers, and Giants play outside California.

A number of individuals will bear close watching this season. Pete Rose, dropped by the Phils last fall and signed by Montreal in January, has closed to within 201 hits of Ty Cobb's lifetime major-league record (4,191), and is only ten hits away from becoming only the second player to collect 4,000. Rose, with 3,250 games played, is only 58 short of all-time leader Carl Yastrzemski (3,308), who retired last fall. The Phils' Steve Carlton (3,709) and the Astros' Nolan Ryan (3,677) will renew their race for baseball's all-time strikeout lead. The Cubs' Ferguson Jenkins is 16 victories away from becoming the sport's seventeenth 300-game winner, and the Phils' Mike Schmidt is 11 homers away from becoming the twentieth of all time to hit 400.

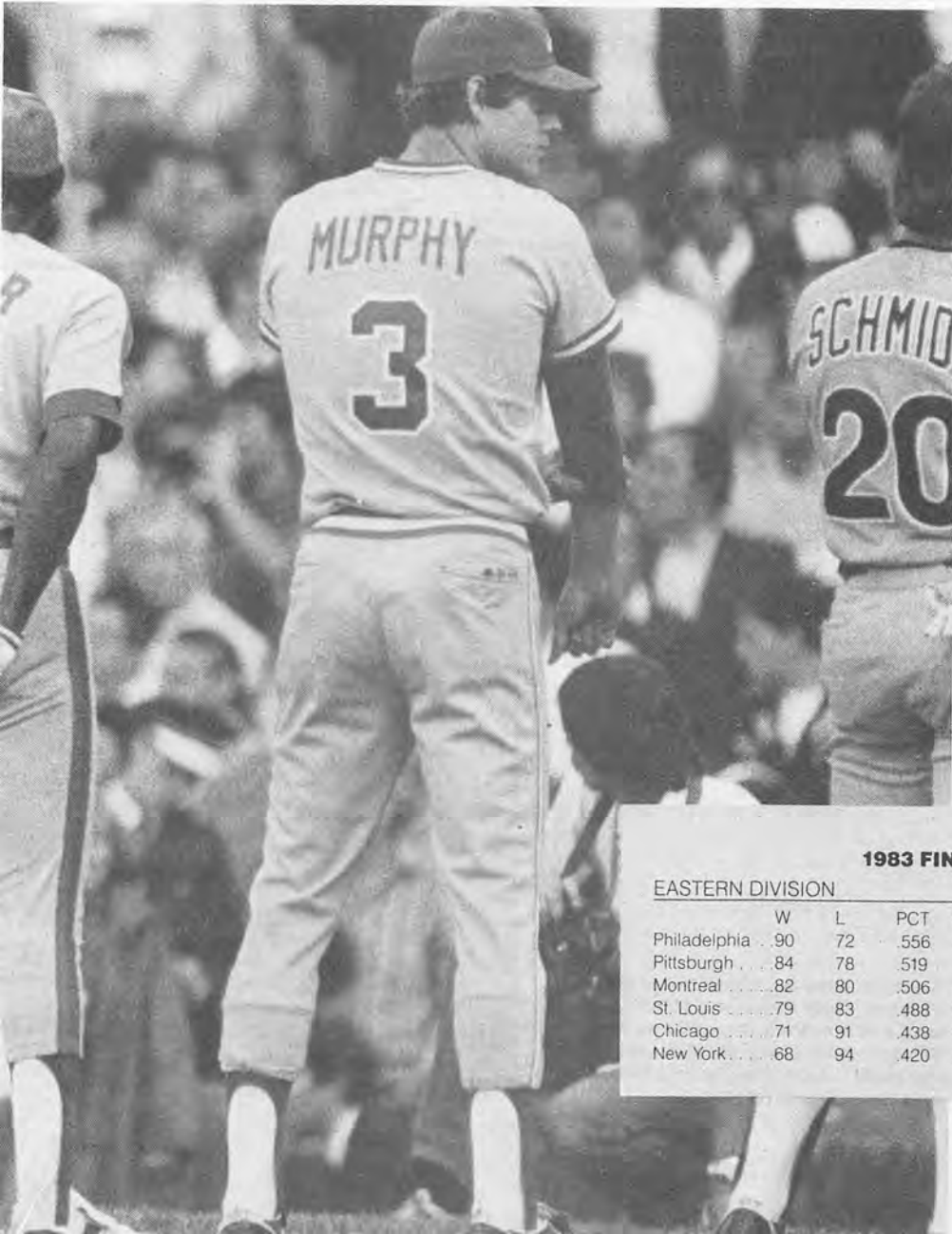
With close races expected in both divisions, the N.L. seems likely to break the attendance record (21,549,285) it established last year. Atlanta, Montreal, and St. Louis broke club attendance marks with gates in excess of two million, the Braves reaching that figure for the first time. Philadelphia also drew over two million, and Los Angeles led the majors with 3,510,313. It was the fourth time the Dodgers have drawn more than three million.

There will be some interesting candidates for Rookie of the Year honors, including second baseman Juan Samuel (Phillies), short-stop Argenis Salazar (Expos), third baseman German Rivera (Dodgers), outfielders Mike Stenhouse (Expos), Jeff Stone (Phils), and Joe Carter (Cubs), and pitchers Tony Ghelfi (Phils), Jeff Heathcock (Astros), Chris Green (Pirates), and Scott Garrelts (Giants).

With many of the teams shaping up so evenly, both divisional races could be greatly influenced by the interleague trading period that was to extend from February 15 to April 1. San Diego, Pittsburgh, and Houston all appeared to have enough pitching to trade for an outfielder or infielder who could add to run production.

The National League will welcome a number of important new faces this season. Gossage, as noted, has upgraded San Diego's chances, and the Pirates have acquired former Boston left-hander John Tudor and former Kansas City outfielder Amos Otis.

Baseball's suspension of Howe for the 1984 season and the prison sentences handed four Kansas City players have put the sport on notice that drug abuse will not be tolerated.



1983 FINAL STANDINGS

EASTERN DIVISION					WESTERN DIVISION				
	W	L	PCT	GB		W	L	PCT	GB
Philadelphia	.90	72	.556	—	Los Angeles	.91	71	.562	—
Pittsburgh	.84	78	.519	6	Atlanta	.88	74	.543	3
Montreal	.82	80	.506	8	Houston	.85	77	.525	6
St. Louis	.79	83	.488	11	San Diego	.81	81	.500	10
Chicago	.71	91	.438	19	San Francisco	.79	83	.488	12
New York	.68	94	.420	22	Cincinnati	.74	88	.457	17

EASTERN DIVISION

PITTSBURGH PIRATES

In the strike-torn major-league season three years ago, the Pittsburgh Pirates lost ten more games than they won and sank to the second division for the first time since 1968. There were indications that things could get even worse. They might have except for scout Howie Haak's Latin connection, manager Chuck Tanner's ability to get the best out of his players, and some astute trades on the part of general manager Harding Peterson.

What the Pirates did in mid-season last year, en route to an 84-78 record and a second-place finish, is reason for concern among their Eastern Division rivals. Mired in fifth place with a 23-36 record on June 19, the Bucs won 33 of their next 46 games and might have gone all the way except for inexperience and September ailments that beset key infielders Bill Madlock and Jason Thompson. The Pirates were tied with Montreal for first place on September 5 when Madlock, on his way to a fourth N.L. batting title, pulled a tendon in his left calf. The veteran third baseman batted only 16 times in the remaining 25

games and Pittsburgh finished at a pedestrian 14-11 pace. First baseman Thompson, suffering back spasms, went into a late-season swoon and stopped knocking in runs.

Since then, the Pirates have lost left-handed-hitting Dave Parker (.279, 12 HR, 69 RBI) and Richie Hebner (.265, 5 HR, 26 RBI) to free agency and Mike Easler (.307, 10 HR, 54 RBI) in a trade for Boston left-hander John Tudor. The mood in Pittsburgh, however, is optimistic, especially after the re-signing of Kent Tekulve, the veteran right-handed reliever who had gone into the reentry draft for free agents. Attendance last year (1,225,916) was up 201,810 over the previous season, and excitement ran high because the Pirates shared first place with Philadelphia's eventual pennant winners as late as September 17.

Pittsburgh must be reckoned with this year after its development last season of three rookies, two of them right-handed pitchers who were sorely needed as a result of injuries to veteran right-handers Don Robinson and Jim Bibby. Lee Tunnell, who turned 23 in October, won 11 of 17 decisions (3.63 ERA) and was particularly impressive in the second half. Jose DeLeon, also 22, was called up in July and helped ignite the mid-season drive by winning seven of his ten decisions (2.83 ERA). The precocious Dominican twice took no-hitters into the seventh inning (vs. San Diego and Cincinnati) and flirted with another until the ninth (vs. New York). Cecilio Guante, 23, another Dominican and big-league sophomore, came up from the minors in May, gained nine saves, and was a help, though he lost six of eight decisions (3.32 ERA).

Yet another of the Pirates' catalysts was Marvell Wynne, the 24-year-old rookie center fielder who batted .243 with seven homers, 26 RBI, and 12 steals after his early-season acquisition from the Mets' Tidewater farm club. It was merely one of a number of helpful trades Peterson has made since he became the Pirates' front-office boss five years ago and set the stage for a 1979 world championship by obtaining Madlock from San Francisco. Johnny Ray, the second baseman Peterson acquired from Houston in late 1981, batted .283 with five homers, 53 RBI, and 18 steals. Thompson, the first baseman obtained from the Angels three springs ago, hit .259 with 18 homers and 76 RBI. Left-hander Larry McWilliams, picked up in a mid-season trade in 1982 with Atlanta, won 15 of 23 decisions (3.25 ERA), including four shutouts and three two-hitters.

Tanner, perhaps the game's most enthusiastic manager, refused to quit on his players or criticize them publicly during the poor, early-season start. This season, he has been compensated for the loss of Parker, Hebner, and Easler by the addition of Tudor and the signing of 37-year-old free-agent outfielder Amos Otis (.261, 4 HR, 41 RBI in 98 games with Kansas City).

The Pirates are deep enough in starting pitchers (six) to trade one for another bat,

should they so desire. Tanner has left-handers McWilliams, Tudor (13-12, 4.09 with Boston), and John Candelaria (15-8, 3.23), as well as right-handers Tunnell, DeLeon, and Rick Rhoden (13-13, 3.09).

Tekulve (7-5, 1.64, 18 saves), Guante, and Manny Sarmiento (3-5, 2.99, 4 saves) are right-handers in a Pirate bullpen that could be exceptional if left-hander Rod Scurry (4-9, 5.56, 7 saves) can harness his live arm (53 walks, 67 strikeouts in 68 innings) and veteran right-hander Don Robinson (2-2, 4.46) can overcome chronic shoulder problems. Tanner will audition several promising prospects, including left-hander Chris Green (73 strikeouts in 74 innings at Lynn), Jeff Zaske (5-3, 24 saves, 72 strikeouts in 70 innings at Lynn), Jim Winn (0-1, 3 saves at Hawaii), Steve Senteney (4-7, 9 saves at Tidewater and Hawaii), Alfonso Pulido (17-3 at Mexico City), and Ray Krawczyk (5-7, 7 saves, 88 strikeouts in 89 innings at Hawaii).

The Pirates aren't as awesome offensively as they used to be, but boast .300 hitters in Madlock (.323, 12 HR, 68 RBI), catcher Tony Pena (.301, 15 HR, 70 RBI), and part-time left fielder Lee Lacy (.302, 4 HR, 31 steals), who drove in only 13 runs in 288 at-bats. Lacy will platoon with 24-year-old Canadian Doug Frobel (.304, 24 HR, 80 RBI, 23 steals at Hawaii; .283, 3 HR, 11 RBI at Pittsburgh).

Thompson remains at first base, Ray at second, Wynne in center, and iron man Dale Berra (.251, 10 HR, 52 RBI in 161 games) at short. The Pirates are hoping Otis can rebound from an off year and be as productive as he was in 1982 (.286, 11 HR, 88 RBI with Kansas City).

Milt May (.247, 6 HR, 20 RBI) and Gene Tenace (.177) will back up Pena behind the plate. Jim Morrison (.304, 6 HR, 25 RBI) remains the No. 1 infield spare, with Lee Mazzilli (.240, 5 HR, 24 RBI) and Brian Harper (.221, 7 HR, 20 RBI) serving as reserve outfielders. Denny Gonzalez and Ron Wotus are promising rookie infielders.



Kent Tekulve provides relief and catcher Tony Pena and third baseman Bill Madlock the offense for Pirate lefties Larry McWilliams (far right), John Candelaria (left), and John Tudor (right).



MONTREAL EXPOS

In 1979, the Montreal Expos won 95 games and had all the earmarks of becoming major-league baseball's team of the 1980s. To the dismay of French Canadians, the Expos have been going in reverse. Except for the strike-shortened 1981 season, their yearly victory totals have been in consistent decline, from 95 in 1979, to 90 in 1980, to 86 in 1982 and to 82 in 1983, when they finished third in the Eastern Division for the second time in a row.

This is a team that was in first place on September 13 and looked as if it would prevail in its fight to the wire with Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, and St. Louis. Instead, the Expos folded badly, losing 12 of their remaining 20 games. Eight games off the pace by season's end, owner Charles Bronfman was so exasperated that he indirectly blamed the Expos' failures on Gary Carter, the all-star catcher the club had signed to an eight-year, \$15 million contract in February of 1982. Bronfman called the signing a terrible mistake. "I knew we were wrong," he said. "I'll know it to my dying day." It seemed to be stuck in Bronfman's craw that Carter went 0-for-9 in Montreal on September 22, when the Expos lost a doubleheader to Philadelphia's divisional leaders and dropped four games behind the eventual N.L. champions. Before the Olympic Stadium showdown, a Montreal newspaper had quoted Carter as saying he thought the Eastern Division race would "come down to either Pittsburgh or ourselves."

"I bought 40 newspapers and put one under each player's door," Phils' manager Paul Owens said after the critical doubleheader sweep.

It's clear the Expos are tormented by the rut they've been in since they won a playoff for the Eastern title in 1981 and then were denied the pennant by a dramatic home run by the Dodgers' Rick Monday in the N.L. championship series. Bill Virdon, the third Montreal manager in three seasons, couldn't reverse the tide last year because he could find no solution to many of the same problems that had bugged predecessors Jim Fanning and Dick Williams. The Expos were sorely in need of left-handed pitching, particularly in the bullpen. They lacked a first-rate shortstop, were subpar at turning the double play, and remained notorious for their inability to hit in the clutch. They stranded the most base runners (1,213) in the league.

Club president John McHale hoped to give the Expos needed leadership with the signing of free agent Pete Rose, who earlier helped Cincinnati and Philadelphia capture world titles. McHale placed such high priority on acquiring a left-handed reliever that he was willing to send front-line right-hander Scott Sanderson to the Cubs in a three-way trade that netted the Expos Gary Lucas of the San Diego Padres. The Expos also gave up on trying to sign Manny Trillo, whom they had purchased from Cleveland in August, and veteran first baseman-outfielder Warren Cromartie. There were strong rumors the Expos would trade veteran Al Oliver to make room at first base for Rose (.245, 0 HR, 45 RBI).

Montreal's fortunes this season may hinge on Lucas (5-8, 2.87, 17 saves), on how well all-star center fielder Andre Dawson responds to postseason arthroscopic knee surgery, on right-hander David Palmer's comeback bid, and on Argenis "Angel" Sala-

zar, the 22-year-old Venezuelan who'll be given a shot at the regular shortstop job.

The Expos must be reckoned with because no N.L. starting pitching trio won more games last year than right-handers Steve Rogers (17-12, 3.23), Bill Gullickson (17-12, 3.73), and Charlie Lea (16-11, 3.12). Rogers had five shutouts, Lea four, and right-hander Bryn Smith three on a Montreal staff that led the league with 15. Smith (6-11, 2.49 ERA), who pitched much better than his record indicates, and Palmer, disabled all last season following two elbow operations, are contenders for the fourth and fifth starting jobs.

Lucas will get much work in a bullpen that was greatly strengthened late last season when hard-throwing Bob James (1-0, 2.88, 7 saves, 56 strikeouts in 50 innings) came along to help out Jeff Reardon (7-9, 3.03, 21 saves). Other candidates for relief include Greg Bargar (2-0, 6.75), Darren Dilks (4-6, 2 saves at Wichita), and Greg Harris (9-12, 4.14 at Indianapolis).

The Expos have standouts at five positions—catcher Carter (.270, 17 HR, 79 RBI), first baseman Oliver (.300, 8 HR, 84 RBI), third baseman Tim Wallach (.269, 19 HR, 70 RBI), left fielder Tim Raines (.298, 11 HR, 71 RBI), and center fielder Dawson (.299, 32 HR, 113 RBI). Montreal's 138 stolen bases included 90 by Raines, who led the N.L. for the third straight year, and 25 by Dawson, who ranked among the league's top three in seven offensive categories.

Trillo's departure means that Doug Flynn (.237, no HR, 26 RBI), probably will share second-base duties with switch hitter Bryan Little (.260, 1 HR, 36 RBI), probably the league's best bunter. Flynn was employed at shortstop late last season, but Virdon has long-range plans there for Salazar (.302, 1 HR, 54 RBI, 12 steals at Wichita; .216 avg. at Montreal). Veteran Chris Speier (.257, 2 HR, 22 RBI) and Brad Mills (.317, 8 HR, 46 RBI at Wichita; .250 at Montreal) figure as infield reserves.

Newcomer Pete Rose joins an all-star cast that includes outfielder Tim Raines (right) and catcher Gary Carter on the Montreal Expos.



If the Expos keep Oliver, it appears Rose will play left field and Raines will switch to right. Other right-field candidates include Miguel Dilone (.183, 0 HR, 7 RBI with Cleveland and White Sox), Mike Fuentes (.299, 30 HR, 91 RBI, 15 steals at Wichita), Mike Stenhouse (.355, 25 HR, 93 RBI at Wichita), Terry Francona (.257, 3 HR, 22 RBI), Roy Johnson (.290, 5 HR, 43 RBI at Wichita), and Gene Roof (.309, 3 HR, 60 RBI, 15 steals at Louisville). Veterans Mike Vail (.241) and Jim Wohlford (.277) figure as subs and pinch hitters.



PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES

Pennant winners seldom undergo the player personnel changes Philadelphia has made since failing to uphold the National League's honor in the 1983 World Series. Two of the most recognizable members of the "Wheeze Kids"—first baseman, Pete Rose, 43, and second baseman Joe Morgan, 40—were released outright, along with injury-plagued right-hander Larry Christenson, 30. First baseman/pinch hitter Tony Perez, 41, was shuffled over to Cincinnati; reliever Ron Reed, 41, was sent to the White Sox; and efforts were being made to dispose of center fielder Garry Maddox, 34.

The bloodless coup even extended to the coaching ranks when Bobby Wine, an aide to Philadelphia managers since 1972, was replaced by John Felske, the heir apparent to current manager Paul Owens. Felske managed the Portland farm club to the Pacific Coast League title last season and has had a hand in the development of a number of Philadelphia's younger players.

Owens left the general manager's chair July 18 to succeed ousted manager Pat Corrales, and almost duplicated what Dallas Green accomplished in 1980, when he directed the Phils to their first world championship. Green, the Phils' farm director, had replaced Danny Ozark as manager during 1979.

Philadelphia was tied for the Eastern Division lead when Corrales was cashiered, and the adjustment to Owens did not go smoothly. The club was a half-game out of first place with 3½ weeks of the regular season remaining when star third baseman Mike Schmidt complained that the Phils lacked direction and criticized Owens for his constant lineup changes. But Owens was vindicated when the Phillies broke open a four-team race by playing at a 22-7 clip in September and breezing to their fifth Eastern Division title in eight seasons. Their twelfth victory in a 13-game stretch wrapped up the crown on September 28, and they surprised the baseball world by capturing the N.L. championship series in a four-game playoff against a Los Angeles team that had beaten them 11 times in 12 regular-season meetings.

Morgan (.230, 16 HR, 59 RBI), who batted .341 in September, left to make room for rookie Juan Samuel (.330, 15 HR, 33 steals in 65 games at Portland; .277 in 18 games at Philadelphia). The 22-year-old Dominican has both speed and power, but needs work on his fielding (nine errors in 18 games with Phillies). Rose, who lacked the power associated with a first baseman (.245, 0 HR, 45 RBI), gives way to 29-year-old Len Matuszek (.330, 24 HR, 92 RBI at Portland), a left-handed batter who helped the Phillies greatly in September (.275, 4 HR, 16 RBI in 28 games).

The Phillies felt changes were in order because of the obvious chinks in their armor. This is a team that finished ninth in the N.L. in hitting (.249), tenth in fielding (.976), eleventh in double plays (117), and seventh in steals (143). It gave up 93 unearned runs, the league's fourth-highest total.

On the positive side, however, left-hander Steve Carlton, who became the majors' sixteenth 300-game winner, and John Denny anchored a pitching staff that ranked second in the N.L. (3.34 ERA), and Schmidt (.255, 40 HR, 109 RBI) led an attack that ranked third in runs scored (696) and fifth in homers (125).

Samuel is but one of several promising prospects the Philadelphia farm system is about to produce, and the Phils continue to thrive on trades engineered by Owens and super scout Hugh Alexander. Philadelphia probably couldn't have beaten Pittsburgh, Montreal, and St. Louis to the wire without Joe Lefebvre (.310, 8 HR, 38 RBI), the infielder-outfielder who delivered seven game-winning

hits after being acquired in an early-season trade that sent reliever Sid Monge to San Diego. The Phils also had late-season help from veteran outfielder Sixto Lezcano, who knocked in seven runs in 18 games after another trade with the Padres.

One of the Phils' most interesting newcomers this year is Tony Ghelfi (10-3 at Reading; 1-1, 3.14 ERA at Philadelphia). He is a 22-year-old right-hander who'll try to move into the starting rotation alongside Carlton (15-16, 3.11), Denny (19-6, 2.37), Charles Hudson (8-8, 3.35), Kevin Gross (4-6, 3.56), and Marty Bystrom (6-9, 4.60). Al Holland (8-4, 2.26, 25 saves) remains the key in a bullpen that contains Willie Hernandez (9-4, 8 saves), Larry Andersen (1-0, no saves), Tug McGraw (2-1, no saves), and Porfi Altimirano (2-3, no saves).

The Phils have ten outfield candidates and confusion in that department. They still hope for big things from Von Hayes (.265, 6 HR, 32 RBI, 20 steals), who had an off year after being acquired the winter before last in a big trade with Cleveland. Gary Matthews (.258, 10 HR, 50 RBI), a playoff hero (3 HR, 8 RBI), might be asked to share left field with rookies Jeff Stone (.317, 90 steals at Reading) or Tim Corcoran (.311, 9 HR, 93 RBI at Portland). It seems the Phils would like to trade Maddox (.275, 4 HR, 32 RBI) to create employment in center field for speedster Bob Dernier (.231, 1 HR, 15 RBI, 25 steals).

If Matuszek struggles at first base, Lefebvre could play there, providing he doesn't platoon in right with Lezcano. Schmidt, who reached the 40-homer level for the third time, and shortstop Ivan DeJesus (.254, 4 HR, 45 RBI) occupy the left side of the infield. Bo Diaz (.236, 15 HR, 64 RBI) remains behind the plate, backed by Ozzie Virgil Jr. (.214) and rookie Darren Daulton (.262, 19 HR, 83 RBI, 28 steals at Reading). Key reserves include outfielder Greg Gross (.302) and infielder Kiko Garcia (.288).

The Phillies expect bigger contributions in 1984 from outfielder Von Hayes, pitcher Charles Hudson, and catcher Bo Diaz (below).



ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

No team could expect to weather the pitching problems Joaquin Andujar, Bob Forsch, and Bruce Sutter encountered last season when St. Louis, the defending world champion, plummeted to fourth place in the N.L. East. Andujar (6-16, 4.16) and Forsch (10-12, 4.16) slipped from a combined 30-19 record in 1982. Sutter declined from a 9-8 record, 2.90 ERA, and 36 saves to 9-10, 4.23, and 21 saves. Only a half-game out of first place as the regular season entered its last four weeks, the Cardinals lost 16 of their last 26 games and squandered leads in nine of the ten defeats they suffered on a 13-game trip.

"We didn't have a No. 1 or No. 2 guy," said manager Whitey Herzog, who watched Andujar win his first two starts and only two of his next 24. "That's why we had the long losing streaks (two of eight games, one of seven)."

The Cardinals set an all-time home attendance record (2,343,716) despite the fan criticism leveled at Herzog and general manager Joe McDonald for trading popular first baseman Keith Hernandez (.297, 12 HR, 63 RBI) to the Mets for right-hander Neil Allen (12-13, 3.94 ERA, 2 saves) an hour before the June 15 deadline. "Keith's a good player, I don't deny that," Herzog said at season's end, "but we were going down. We were not going to stay in the race unless we got some pitching help. We had to do something. Everyone in the organization agreed on that." It was the first time as a major-league manager that Herzog had a losing record over a full season, but he is convinced the Cards do not require a major overhaul to bounce back in 1984.

Collectively, St. Louis pitchers probably have less stuff than any group in the N.L. They were last in the league in strikeouts (709) last season. Their 27 saves, 20 fewer than in 1982, also were an N.L. low. The Cardinals play half their games at Busch Stadium, one of the circuit's toughest parks for power hitters, yet they slipped from third to tenth in pitching as the staff ERA rose from 3.37 to 3.79.

Herzog seemed to recognize that the Cardinals were in for grief, even after they won six of their first seven games. The situation was exacerbated when several regulars, notably shortstop Ozzie Smith, started slowly at the plate, and deteriorated even further in mid-season when left fielder Lonnie Smith left to spend four weeks in a drug treatment center. There also seemed to be an adverse effect on team morale with the departure of the popular Hernandez, a seven-year regular who was appreciated for his fielding and his .299 lifetime average, if not for his power.

The Cardinals ranked last in the National League in home runs (83), but scored even more runs than they had in 1982 because they at times resembled an Olympic sprint-relay team. They led the league in stolen bases (207) and had four players with 30 or more—Lonnie Smith (43), Willie McGee (39), David Green (34), and Ozzie Smith (34). Herzog predicts the four will be joined this year by Tommy Herr and soph Andy Van Slyke. Herr (.323, 2 HR, 31 RBI, 6 steals in 89 games) was slowed by a knee injury that required arthroscopic surgery in August. He hoped to be back to normal by the start of the season. If he wasn't, the Cardinals would be weakened if they had to switch third baseman Ken Oberkfell to second, or alternate Mike Ramsey (.263, 1 HR, 16 RBI) at that spot with

novice Bill Lyons (.271, 5 HR, 25 RBI, 21 steals at Louisville; .167 in 42 games at St. Louis). Oberkfell (.293, 3 HR, 38 RBI, 12 steals) led N.L. third basemen in fielding for the second year in a row, but lacks power and may lose his job to Van Slyke (.262, 8 HR, 38 RBI, 21 SB in 101 games). The 23-year-old left-handed hitter can also play first and the outfield.

The Cardinals appear set at all the other positions—catcher Darrell Porter (.262, 15 HR, 66 RBI), first baseman George Hendrick (.318, 18 HR, 97 RBI), shortstop Ozzie Smith (.243, 3 HR, 50 RBI), left fielder Lonnie Smith (.321, 8 HR, 43 RBI), center fielder Willie McGee (.286, 5 HR, 75 RBI), and right fielder David Green (.284, 8 HR, 69 RBI). Lonnie Smith could have won the league batting title with a hit his last time up last season, but flied out and finished two percentage points behind Pittsburgh's Bill Madlock.

Andujar, Forsch, left-hander Dave LaPoint (12-9, 3.95), and right-hander John Stuper (12-11, 3.68) return as starters. They could be joined by Allen if he isn't needed in the bullpen. If he is, the No. 5 job could go to the promising Danny Cox (3-6, 3.25), who pitched at all three minor-league levels in a meteoric four-month climb to the majors. Former Mets' right-hander Rick Ownbey (1-3 at NY, 7-5 at Louisville) is a possibility. Sutter, attempting to rebound from his poorest of eight major-league seasons, could use help from Allen and other relievers, such as Steve Baker (3-3, 4.50, 5 saves with Oakland), Dave Van Ohlen (3-2, 3.29, 2 saves), Dave Rucker (5-3, 2.68, no saves), and Jeff Lahti (3-3, 3.16, no saves).

Porter will be backed by Glenn Brummer (.276, no HR) and Jamie Quirk (.209, 2 HR) or rookie Bob Geren (.265, 24 HR, 73 RBI at Louisville). Ramsey and Lyons are infield subs, along with disappointing Floyd Rayford (.212). Outfield reserves include Dan Iorg (.267), Steve Braun (.272), and possibly rookie Jim Adduci (.281 avg., 25 HR, 101 RBI at Louisville).

Reliever Bruce Sutter, outfielder David Green (#22), and shortstop Ozzie Smith hope to help the Cardinals regain their title form.



CHICAGO CUBS

The Chicago Cubs are living proof that weak pitching and second-division finishes go hand-in-hand. Last year, for example, the Cubs led the N.L. in slugging percentage (.401) and fielding (.982) and were second in runs scored (701), but couldn't overcome a pitching staff with a league-high ERA (4.08). The result was a second straight fifth-place finish under the regime of general manager Dallas Green and another round of managerial musical chairs.

Jim Frey, a Mets' coach the last two seasons, is the Cubs' fourth manager in as many seasons. He has been quick to recognize what must be done. "If we can stabilize our pitching," he says, "we can win a lot of games. By spring, there might be two or three guys who aren't here [anymore] and [we hope], we'll have a better pitching staff."

Predecessors Lee Elia, fired August 22 with the Cubs 15 games under .500 (54-69 record), and Charlie Fox, 17-22 the rest of the way, got only nine complete games out of their starting pitchers, a league low. Five of those were recorded by veteran right-hander Dick Ruthven, one of seven Cub players Green has acquired from Philadelphia since leaving as manager of the Phillies at the end of the 1981 season.

Frey managed Kansas City to the 1980 American League championship, losing to Green and the Phillies in the World Series. His impressive major-league managerial record (127 wins, 105 losses) is apt to suffer unless Green can come up with more than the one starting pitcher he acquired last winter. The Cubs gave up late-season power-hitting sensation Carmelo Martinez and the only left-handed reliever they had last year, Craig Lefferts, in a three-team trade for Montreal right-hander Scott Sanderson (6-7, 4.65 ERA). Martinez, Lefferts, and Cub minor-league third baseman Fritz Connally went to San Diego.

Sanderson, 27, has a six-year 56-47 major-league record, all of it with Montreal. He is coming off his first losing season, one marred by a July 4 thumb injury that limited him to 81 innings. Over the last two seasons, Sanderson has allowed 36 homers in 305 innings, an average of one every 8.5 frames. An off-season resident of Northbrook, a Chicago suburb, Sanderson may find it easier pitching at Olympic Stadium than at tiny Wrigley Field, the majors' last citadel of day baseball. Green, whose desire for night home games has been blocked by Illinois legislature, has scheduled 18 games to start at 3:05 p.m. this year to avoid early afternoon summer heat and to make it easier on players the day after they return from road trips.

The Cubs hoped to acquire additional pitching help during the spring interleague trading period, and have resolved to solve their first-base situation so Leon Durham, miscast in the outfield, can play there. It means the persistent trade rumors involving incumbent first baseman Bill Buckner may finally become a reality. Buckner played left field some in late season when Fox was alternating Durham at first base with Martinez.

Sanderson, Ruthven (12-9, 4.10 ERA), and Chuck Rainey (14-13, 4.48) give the Cubs three decent right-handed starting pitchers. The leading candidates to join them in the rotation are 40-year-old Ferguson Jenkins (6-9, 4.30), Dickie Noles (5-10, 4.72), Rick Reus-



Right-hander Scott Sanderson (top) joins first baseman Bill Buckner and outfielders Keith Moreland and Mel Hall (below) on the Cubs.

chel (1-1, 3.92), Steve Trout (10-14, 4.65), and rookie Don Schulze (11-9, 4.27 at Iowa). Reuschel, a former Cub star the Yankees gave up on because of arm trouble, made a strong comeback bid in late season. Trout is the lone left-hander among the starting candidates.

The Cubs resisted numerous offseason bids for Lee Smith (4-10, 1.65 ERA), who led the N.L. with his 29 saves. The 6-foot-5 right-hander's bullpen mates include Warren Brusstar (3-1, 2.35, no saves), Bill Campbell (6-8, 4.49, 8 saves), and Mike Proly (1-5, 3.58, 1 save). Outside contenders include former San Francisco left-hander Mike Chris (3-12, 5.77 at Phoenix), Rich Bordin (7-2 at Iowa; 0-2, 4.97 at Chicago), and Reggie Patterson (10-10 at Iowa; 1-2 at Chicago).

The Cubs appear set behind the plate with Jody Davis (.271, 24 HR, 84 RBI), at first with Durham (.258, 12 HR, 55 RBI, 12 steals in 100 games), at second with Ryne Sandberg (.261, 8 HR, 48 RBI, 37 steals), at short with Larry Bowa (.267, 2 HR, 43 RBI), and at third with Ron Cey (.275, 24 HR, 90 RBI). Durham, who had 22 homers, 90 RBI, and 28 steals in 1982, hopes to avoid the succession of injuries he suffered last year. Sandberg led league second basemen in fielding, and Bowa was tops at short (11 errors in 145 games). Davis became a dangerous hitter, but he left much to be desired behind the plate (21 passed balls, 13 errors). Mel Hall (.283, 17 HR, 56 RBI) was a worthy candidate for Rookie of the Year in center field. Keith Moreland (.302, 16 HR, 70 RBI) returns in right. If the Cubs trade Buckner (.280, 6 HR, 66 RBI), left field could go to rookie Joe Carter (.307, 22 HR, 83 RBI, 40 steals at Iowa).

The below-average Cub bench (.201 pinch-hitting avg.—next to last in N.L.) was beefed



up in January with the signing of veteran free-agent infielder/outfielder Richie Hebner (.265, 5 HR, 26 RBI with Pittsburgh). It also includes catcher Steve Lake (.259), infielder Tom Veryzer (.205), and rookie Dan Rohn (.315, 8 HR, 56 RBI, 23 steals at Iowa). Jay Johnstone (.257, 6 HR) and Gary Woods (.242) return as outfield subs.

NEW YORK METS

Davey Johnson was smart last fall to demand at least a two-year contract as the New York Mets' fourth manager in the last four seasons. Almost everyone agrees that the Mets are developing more than their share of promising young minor leaguers, yet Johnson likely will need more than one year to produce significant improvement in a team that has been floundering since 1976. Not since their 86-76 record that year have the Mets approached the .500 level or finished higher than fifth in the N.L. East. They dumped interim manager Frank Howard last fall for duplicating predecessor George Bamberger's last-place finish in 1982, and cashed in Joe Torre after his second straight fifth-place showing in 1981.

Johnson, the long-time Baltimore second baseman, managed the Mets' Tidewater farm club to the minor-league World Series title last season, is familiar with the talent in the organization, and played for Mets' general manager Frank Cashen when Cashen was with the Orioles. That helps explain why Johnson got the Mets job for more than one year and why he has proceeded to shoot from the hip. The 39-year-old rookie manager's first pronouncement last fall was an indictment of Howard and Bamberger for constantly juggling their middle infielders.

Johnson also dashed ten-year veteran Rod Hodges' hopes of remaining on the team as anything more than an occasional fill-in behind the plate, and perhaps was given reason to regret the endorsement he placed at Tidewater on minor-league sensation Dwight Gooden. He is a 19-year-old right-hander who struck out 319 batters in 220 innings last year.

"Wherever I manage next year, Gooden will be my No. 1 starter," Johnson proclaimed in September, more than a month before he got the Mets job.

Bamberger, now retired, and Howard, retained as the Mets' first-base coach, could anticipate the problems Johnson would face this spring in trying to convince Cashen that Gooden is ready for the majors after three-quarters of a season at the Class-A level and one month at Triple A. Cashen developed a distaste for rushing young players three springs ago, when the attempt with right-hander Tim Leary resulted in an arm injury. Last spring, Cashen denied Bamberger the early-season use of Darryl Strawberry, only 21 at the time. Strawberry, the nation's first choice in the June draft of 1980, spent the first month of the season at Tidewater and approached mid-season with a .161 batting average, yet recovered to become the Rookie of the Year.

The Mets have similar hopes for Gooden and John Gibbons, a 21-year-old catching whiz who batted .298 with 18 homers and 67 RBI at Jackson (Class AA Texas League). But until both are producing, Johnson must concern himself with more immediate problems, and Cashen must figure what to do with Dave Kingman (.198, 13 HR, 29 RBI), the 35-year-old first baseman he has tried unsuccessfully to trade. Last year, the Mets were eleventh in hitting (.241), last in slugging (.344), last in runs scored (575) and in taking bases on balls (436), first in batters striking out (1,031), eighth in pitching (3.68 ERA), tenth in saves (33), and ninth in fielding (.976).

Though Strawberry created some excitement, the Mets continued to play second fid-

dle to the Yankees in New York fan interest. Shea Stadium attendance dropped to 1,104,138, a decline of 218,898 from 1982.

Johnson inherits a lineup set at only four positions—at first base with Keith Hernandez (.297, 12 HR, 63 RBI), in left field with George Foster (.241, 28 HR, 90 RBI), in center, with Mookie Wilson (.276, 7 HR, 51 RBI, 54 steals), and in right with Strawberry (.257, 26 HR, 74 RBI, 19 steals). Looking for more offense, Johnson may play Ron Gardenhire (.287, 4 HR, 39 RBI at Tidewater) at shortstop in place of 20-year-old Jose Oquendo (.213, 1 HR, 17 RBI)—outstanding in the field—and replace second baseman Brian Giles (.245, 2 HR, 27 RBI, 17 steals) with Wally Backman (.316, 1 HR, 28 RBI, 37 steals at Tidewater). Hubie Brooks (.251, 5 HR, 58 RBI) likely will remain at third.

Cashen paid a high price during the off-season to acquire a much-needed left-handed starting pitcher, sending left-handed reliever Carlos Diaz (3-1, 2.05, 2 saves) and standout infield sub Bob Bailor (.250, 1 HR, 30 RBI, 18 steals) to the Dodgers for Sid Fernandez (13-4, 2.82, 96 walks, and 209 strikeouts in 153 innings at San Antonio). The wild but hard-throwing rookie hopes to take his place in the starting rotation alongside Mike Torrez (10-17, 4.37), Walt Terrell (8-8, 3.57), rookie Ron Darling (10-9, 4.02 at Tidewater; 1-3, 2.80 at NY), and Ed Lynch (10-10, 4.28). It's believed Gooden will open the season in the minors. The Mets lost 39-year-old right-hander Tom Seaver (9-14, 3.55) to the White Sox in the free-agent compensation pool.

The Mets' bullpen includes Jesse Orosco (13-7, 1.47 ERA, 17 saves), one of the game's most coveted left-handers; Doug Sisk (5-4, 2.24, 11 saves), and Scott Holman (1-7, 3.74, no saves). Tom Gorman (6-1, 2.92 at Tidewater; 1-4, 4.93 at NY), Rich Pickett (1-0, 1.41 ERA, 10 saves at Lynchburg; 1-0, 3.98, 5 saves at Tidewater), and Brent Gaff (6-7 at Tidewater, 1-0 at NY) are other contenders.

Mike Fitzgerald (.284, 14 HR, 65 RBI at Tidewater) is likely to share catching duties with Junior Ortiz (.249, no HR, 12 RBI in 73 games with Pirates and Mets) and Hodges

(.260, no HR, 21 RBI) unless there is significant improvement in John Stearns, who played in only four games last year because of a recurrent shoulder problem.

The Mets' bench begins with Rusty Staub (.296, 3 HR, 28 RBI), who set a club pinch-hit record last year (24 hits, .296 avg., 3 HR, 25 RBI). It includes contenders such as infielders Tucker Ashford (.179), Kevin Mitchell (.299, 15 HR, 85 RBI at Jackson), and Gary Rajsich (.270, 28 HR, 83 RBI at Tidewater), as well as outfielders Danny Heep (.253, 8 HR, 21 RBI), Terry Blocker (.308, 18 steals at Jackson; .305, 24 steals at Tidewater), and Hermam Winningham (.354 at Jackson, .265 at Tidewater).



Reliever Jesse Orosco (top), center fielder Mookie Wilson, and first baseman Keith Hernandez (below) are among the Mets' best.



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WESTERN DIVISION

LOS ANGELES DODGERS

The Los Angeles Dodgers must find a way to replace grounded relief pitching star Steve Howe if they're to repeat as champions of the National League West. Suspended for the entire 1984 season because of a drug problem, the 26-year-old left-hander had 18 saves last year. That represented 45 percent of the Dodger bullpen's total (40). Howe missed the playoffs, as well as the last ten days of the regular season. The Dodgers, who had overtaken the injury-plagued Atlanta Braves in the Western Division in August, lost 19 of their last 34 games. Howe's absence seems certain to place a strain on talented right-handed reliever Tom Niedenfuer (8-3 record, 11 saves, 1.90 ERA), and may make the Dodgers more aware of some defects they were able to camouflage in 1983.

This is a team that needed baseball's best pitching (3.10 staff earned-run average) to overcome a revamped defense that was charged with 168 regular-season errors, 29 more than it had in 1982 while phasing out Steve Garvey at first base and Ron Cey at third. The starting infield committed 95 miscues, 31 of them by Pedro Guerrero at third base, 30 by Steve Sax at second, 22 by Bill Russell at shortstop, and 12 by Greg Brock at first. The pitching staff had to contend with 105 unearned runs in 162 games.

The Dodgers also scored 37 fewer runs than they produced in 1982 (654 to 691) and developed a perplexing weakness against left-handed pitching. They lost 23 of their 32

decisions against southpaws, two of them to Steve Carlton in a National League playoff the Phillies captured in four games.

Six key players seem to assure the Dodgers of continuing as the team to beat in their division: Niedenfuer, starting pitchers Bob Welch (15-12, 2.65), Alejandro Pena (12-9, 2.75), Jerry Reuss (12-11, 2.94), and Fernando Valenzuela (15-10, 3.75), and Guerrero (.298, 32 HR, 103 RBI).

As strong as they are on pitching, the Dodgers will lack the depth they've had in the past. In August, they dealt strong-armed right-hander Dave Stewart (5-2, 8 saves, 2.96 ERA) and a young left-hander, Ricky Wright, to Texas for a fifth starter, left-hander Rick Honeycutt (2-3, 5.77), who proved to be a late-season disappointment. Over the winter, they traded away a long reliever, Joe Beckwith (3-4, 3.55, 1 save), as well as one of their brightest minor-league prospects, left-hander Sid Fernandez (13-4, 2.82, 209 strikeouts in 153 innings at San Antonio). Howe's suspension and the loss of jack-of-all-trades Derrel Thomas to free agency spurred general manager Al Campanis to trade with the Mets for left-handed reliever Carlos Diaz (3-1, 2 saves, 2.05) and utilityman Bob Bailor (.250, 1 HR, 30 RBI, 18 steals) and to sign free-agent outfielder Terry Whitfield (38 HR, 109 RBI with Japan's Seibu Lions). Whitfield defected from San Francisco after the 1980 season.



Having phased out Garvey, Cey, and second baseman Davey Lopes, the Dodgers may complete the reconstruction of the infield this year by replacing Russell (.246, 1 HR, 30 RBI, 13 steals) at shortstop with Dave Anderson, a 23-year-old who batted only 165 in 61 games as a rookie in 1983. Because of their productive farm system, the Dodgers attempted last winter to trade 34-year-old left fielder Dusty Baker (.260, 15 HR, 73 RBI) to Oakland for two minor leaguers. Baker rejected the trade, but may be talked into leaving, now that the Dodgers have Whitfield.

Tommy Lasorda, armed with an unprecedented three-year contract as he begins his eighth season as Dodger manager, has a

right to expect improvement from several of his younger players and fewer injuries than last season, especially among his catchers. Garvey's successor, 26-year-old Greg Brock (.224, 20 HR, 66 RBI), should be under less pressure than he was a year ago. Mike Marshall (.284, 17 HR, 65 RBI), stationed in right field after Guerrero made the reluctant move to third base, progressed after an early-season beaming.

Sax (.281, 5 HR, 41 RBI, 56 steals) settled down after a rash of early-season throwing errors and went without a miscue in his last 38 games. Center fielder Kenny Landreaux (.281, 17 HR, 66 RBI, 30 steals) survived several nagging injuries, making him more fortunate than catchers Steve Yeager (.203, 15 HR, 41 RBI) and Mike Scioscia (.314). Scioscia spent most of the season on the disabled list, his career threatened by a rotator cuff injury. Yeager and rookie Jack Fimple (.250, 2 HR, 22 RBI), a late-season godsend, probably will divide catching duties with Scioscia or rookie Gilberto Reyes (.282 at San Antonio, .306 at Albuquerque).

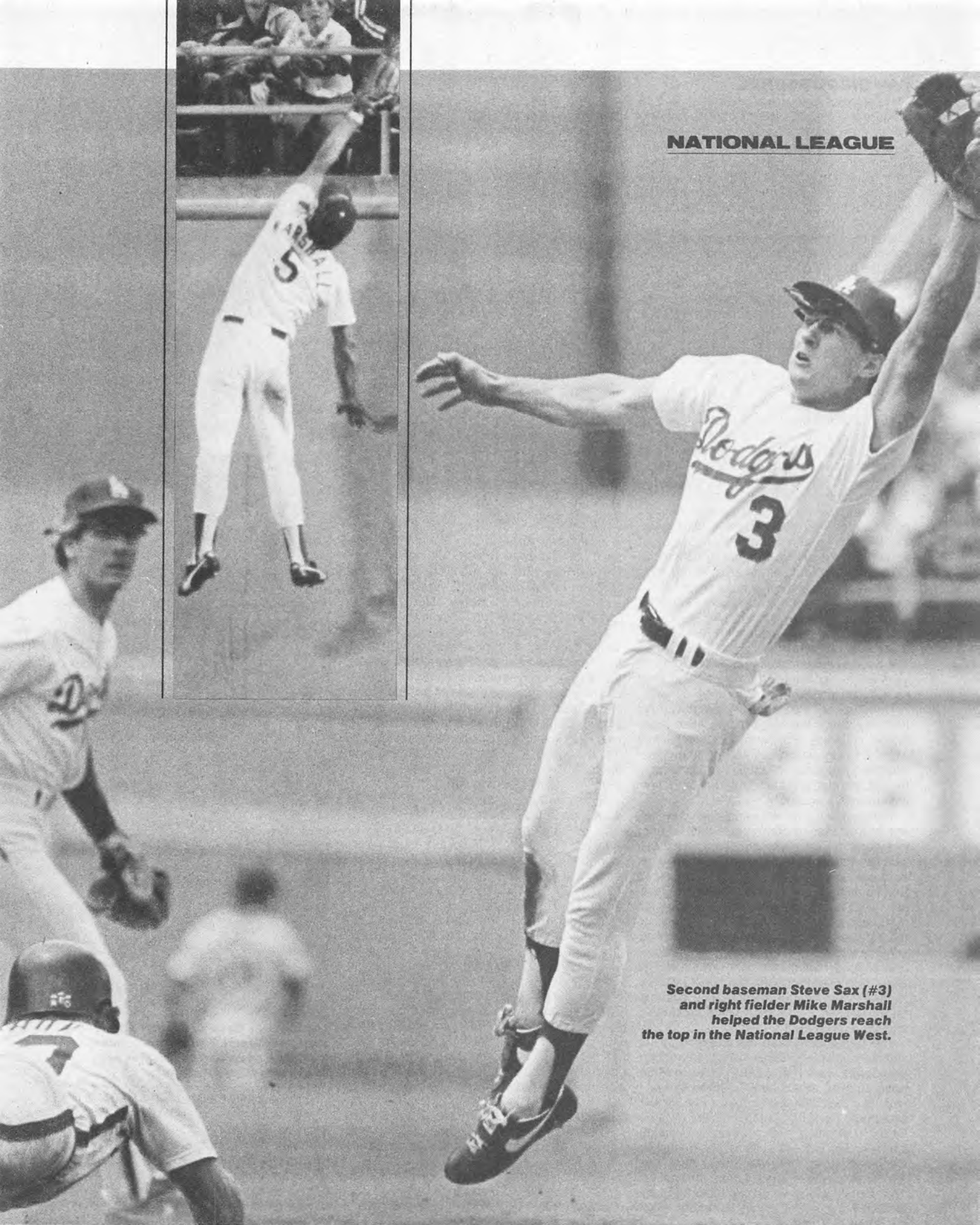
Honeycutt, who won the American League's ERA title (13-9, 2.42 with Texas), and veteran Burt Hooton (9-8, 4.22) will vie for the fifth spot in the starting rotation. Orel Hershiser (10-8, 16 saves at Albuquerque), Rich Rodas (16-4 at Albuquerque), and Larry White (13- at Albuquerque) are rookies who might help out Niedenfuer, Diaz, and veteran reliever Pat Zachry (6-1, no saves).

The Los Angeles bench figures to include Fimple, Bailor, infielder Rafael Landestoy (.172), pinch-hit specialist Jose Morales (.283, 3 HR, 8 RBI), and veteran outfielder Rick Monday (.247, 6 HR, 20 RBI). Lasorda will also audition some interesting Albuquerque products, including first baseman Sid Bream (.307, 32 HR, 118 RBI), infielder German Rivera (.328, 24 HR, 103 RBI), and outfielder Candy Maldonado (.319, 4 HR, 20 RBI). Another prospect is outfielder R.J. Reynolds (.337, 18 HR, 89 RBI, 43 steals at San Antonio).

Left-hander Fernando Valenzuela, third baseman Pedro Guerrero (left), and catcher Jack Fimple of the Los Angeles Dodgers



NATIONAL LEAGUE



**Second baseman Steve Sax (#3)
and right fielder Mike Marshall
helped the Dodgers reach
the top in the National League West.**

SAN DIEGO PADRES

There may be cause for celebration in San Diego early next fall. If they can stay in one piece, the Padres may escape the second division of the National League West for the first time in their 16-year history. Though they lack power and depth, the Padres have enough pitching and speed to become a contender for the first time, providing they avoid the physical woes they experienced in '83.

Who could have foreseen, a year ago, that iron-man first baseman Steve Garvey would miss the final 62 games of the season with the dislocated left thumb he suffered on July 29? Few would have guessed that the Padres could duplicate their 81-81 record and fourth-place finish of 1982 with all the other roadblocks that were placed in their path:

- Left-hander Tim Lollar, a 16-game winner two seasons ago, hurt his elbow in the season-opening, 16-13 victory at San Francisco and didn't win again for six weeks.

- A fractured wrist idled sophomore outfielder Tony Gwynn until mid-June.

- Veteran shortstop Garry Templeton had arthroscopic knee surgery in March, missed almost all of spring training, and was on the 21-day disabled list early in the season.

- Newcomer Ed Whitson, an experienced right-hander who was expected to stabilize the starting rotation, missed almost all of spring training with pulled muscles in his rib cage, then was out six weeks after requiring arthroscopic knee surgery in mid-April.

- Sophomore left-hander Dave Dravecky, who took a 12-5 record into the All-Star game, missed the last five weeks of the season with a shoulder problem.

- Second baseman Juan Bonilla had an off year while recovering from the broken wrist he suffered in 1982.

Through it all, the Padres sounded warning that they are on the verge of becoming legitimate contenders. They won 12 of 18 meetings with the Dodgers and seven of 12 from Philadelphia. They stole 179 bases, 123 of them in the second half, and set a club record for fewest errors in a season (129).

The Padres continue to stockpile young talent at the cost of continuity. Only reserve infielder Tim Flannery and pinch-hit specialist Kurt Bevacqua remain from the 25-man roster Jack McKeon inherited when he replaced Bob Fontaine as general manager in mid-season, 1980. Last August, McKeon dealt veteran right-hander John "The Count" Montefusco to the Yankees for left-hander Dennis Rasmussen, the International League strikeout leader, and second baseman Edwin Rodriguez. He also traded veteran outfielder Sixto Lezcano to the Phillies for four minor-league pitchers: Marty Decker, Ed Wojna, Lance McCullers, and Darren Burroughs.

The purge continued in November, when veteran outfielders Gene Richards and Rupert Jones were permitted to enter the free-agent market, and continued in December. It was then that McKeon acquired three young prospects from the Chicago Cubs (reliever Craig Lefferts, first baseman-outfielder Carmelo Martinez, and third baseman Fritz Connally) in a three-way trade that sent left-handed reliever Gary Lucas to Montreal. The Padres also gave up two minor leaguers for San Francisco's Champ Summers, a left-handed pinch hitter.



In January, the Padres signed free-agent relief pitching prize Goose Gossage, the former Yankee star. As the season neared, McKeon felt he had the left-handed pitching surplus to trade for a power hitter, a second baseman, or another proven reliever.

McKeon believes he has baseball's best young pitching staff, one that can withstand the loss of Lucas (5-8, 17 saves) and Montefusco (9-4, 4 saves). Lollar (7-12, 4.61 ERA), Dravecky (14-10, 3.58), and Mark Thurmond (7-3, 2.65) will return with right-hander Eric Show (15-12, 4.17) in an improving starting rotation. Rasmussen (13-10, 187 strikeouts in 181 innings at Columbus) will compete with Whitson (5-7, 4.30) and Andy Hawkins (5-7, 2.93) for the fifth starting job.

Right-handers Gossage (13-5, 2.27 ERA, 22 saves) and Luis DeLeon (6-6, 2.68, 13 saves) and left-handers Lefferts (3-4, 3.13, 1 save) and Sid Monge (11-3, 7 saves) head a bullpen that could also include Decker (8-3, 102 strikeouts in 96 innings at Portland), Floyd Chiffer (10-4, 14 saves at Las Vegas), and Wojna (13-7 at Reading).

The departed Richards, Jones, and Lezcano hit 23 of the Padres' 93 homers last year, the league's second-lowest total. Although he batted only .221 in his first 39 big-league games, there is hope that minor-league center fielder Kevin McReynolds (.377, 32 HR, 116 RBI at Las Vegas) can take some of the offensive load off Garvey (.294, 14 HR, 59 RBI in 100 games) and catcher Terry Kennedy (.284, 17 HR, 98 RBI). Gwynn (.309, 1 HR, 37 RBI) and Alan Wiggins (.276, 0 HR, 22 RBI, 66 stolen bases) are non-power hitters who'll flank McReynolds in the outfield. Gwynn may be asked to platoon with Martinez (31 HR, 94 RBI at Iowa), a 23-year-old who hit six homers and drove in 16 runs in 29 late-season games with the Cubs.

Bonilla (.237, 4 HR, 45 RBI), Templeton (.263, 3 HR, 40 RBI), and third baseman Luis Salazar (.258, 14 HR, 45 RBI, 24 steals) return with Garvey in the infield.



Left-hander Dave Dravecky and shortstop Garry Templeton (above) welcome newcomer Rich Gossage to the San Diego Padres.

Summers and Bevacqua (14-for-34, 1 HR, 16 RBI as a pinch hitter) head a bench that includes Flannery (.234), infielder Mario Ramirez (.196), and catcher Doug Gwosdz (.109). The rookie prospects, up from Las Vegas, include catcher Ron Tingley (.282, 10 HR, 48 RBI), third baseman George Hinshaw (.283, 16 HR, 67 RBI), and outfielder Gerry Davis (.298, 23 HR, 100 RBI).

HOUSTON ASTROS

It took character as well as talent for Houston to rebound the way it did last season after tying a National League record by losing its first nine games. The Astros distinguished Bob Lillis's first full season as a major-league manager by finishing eight games over .500 (85-77) and rising to third place in the West, two notches higher than they placed in 1982.

It was a tribute to Lillis's patience and general manager Al Rosen's earlier trades that the Astros developed a crop of promising youngsters who may be on the verge of delivering Houston its first pennant in its 23 years as an N.L. member. The season could have been a disaster. Star reliever Joe Sambito was unavailable all year after his third elbow operation since July of 1982. Flame thrower Nolan Ryan was disabled for five weeks in May and early June. First baseman Ray Knight was slowed by an Achilles' tendon problem that required surgery in October. There were other less serious injuries that kept the Astros in last place until early June. However, several rookies lifted the Astros and began attracting attention throughout the league.

The surprising Houston bullpen tied for the league lead in saves (48) because of Bill Dawley (6-6, 14 saves, 2.82 ERA), a 26-year-old right-hander acquired in a trade with Cincinnati, and Frank DiPino (3-4, 20 saves, 2.65), a 27-year-old left-hander Rosen obtained on August 30, 1982, in the trade that sent veteran Don Sutton to Milwaukee. Another of the acquisitions in that trade, 26-year-old left-hander Mike Madden (9-5, 3.14), partly atoned for the failures of the more experienced Bob Knepper (6-13, 3.19).

Bill Doran, a 25-year-old freshman, overcame a slow start and played so well at second base that veteran Phil Garner was able to switch to third on a permanent basis. Doran (.271, 8 HR, 39 RBI, 12 steals), a switch hitter, drew 86 walks, developed in late season into an ideal leadoff batter, and teamed with shortstop Dickie Thon, 25, to help the Astros finish fourth in the N.L. in double plays (165). Thon, whom Rosen acquired in a trade with the California Angels three springs ago, established himself as perhaps the league's most improved player by hitting .286 with 20 HR, 79 RBI, and 34 steals. He led the N.L. in game-winning RBI (18), which was equally as surprising as his power display. Thon had hit three major-league home runs prior to 1983.

Another of Rosen's acquisitions, center fielder Jerry Mumphrey (.336, 1 HR, 17 RBI), performed better than expected in the final 44 games after going to Houston in the trade that sent unhappy outfielder Omar Moreno to the Yankees.

The Astros were third in the league in pitching (3.45 ERA), fourth in stolen bases (164), second in one-run decisions (29-20), and developed a reputation for manhandling the league's also-rans. They played at an astonishing .667 clip (52-26) against Cincinnati (13-5), San Francisco (12-6), San Diego (11-7), New York (9-3), and Chicago (7-5). They also won eight of 12 against Montreal, one of the preseason favorites in the East. But Lillis and

his players are still trying to figure out why they couldn't hold their own against the contenders. They were 25-47 vs. Los Angeles (6-12), Atlanta (7-11), Philadelphia (4-8), and Pittsburgh (6-6), as well as 2-10 in meetings with the defending world champions, the St. Louis Cardinals.

At season's end, Rosen gave top priority to seeking improvement behind the plate. It was easy to understand why. Although pitchers are usually responsible for giving up stolen bases, the lowly-regarded Houston catching staff took much of the heat when the Dodgers stole 37 bases in 39 attempts last year.

The Astros lost veterans Frank LaCorte and Art Howe to free agency during the offseason, and made no significant acquisitions. Often underrated because of their weak attack (tenth in both homers and runs scored), they retain a set lineup begging for the right-handed power hitter Rosen couldn't obtain. They'll go again with catcher Alan Ashby (.229, 8 HR, 34 RBI), Knight (.304, 9 HR, 70 RBI), Doran, Thon, Garner (.238, 14 HR, 79 RBI), left fielder Jose Cruz (.318, 14 HR, 92 RBI, 30 steals), Mumphrey, and right fielder Terry Puhl (.292, 8 HR, 44 RBI, 24 steals).

Cruz was third in the N.L. batting race, but he turns 37 in August.

Ryan (14-9, 2.98 ERA), Madden, Joe Niekro (15-14, 3.48), and former Mets' right-hander Mike Scott (10-8, 3.72), another of Rosen's key pickups via a trade, form the nucleus of a strong starting rotation. Rosen made futile attempts to trade Knepper, whose starting job could be taken by rookie right-hander Jeff Heathcock (10-3, 2.77 at Tucson), a late-season surprise, or by one of two veterans: Mike LaCoss (5-7, 4.43) or Vern Ruhle (8-5, 3.69).

The strong Houston bullpen could become awesome if Sambito is recovered sufficiently to take his place beside Dawley, DiPino, and Dave Smith (3-1, 6 saves, 3.10), an experienced right-hander the Astros have considered trading because of his back problems.

Houston pinch hitters finished last in the league last season (.195 batting average), one reason why the Astros re-signed free-agent first baseman-outfielder Denny Walling (.296, 3 HR, 19 RBI). The backup cast also includes outfielders Kevin Bass (.236) and Tony Scott (.226).



Shortstop Dickie Thon (right), left fielder Jose Cruz, and pitchers Frank DiPino and Mike Madden (with bubble) of the Astros

ATLANTA BRAVES

The Atlanta Braves hope this season to break a two-year history of collapsing in the home stretch. Two years ago, they lost 19 times in a late-season, 21-game span, yet beat out Los Angeles for the Western Division title on the regular season's final day. Last year, they were leading the second-place Dodgers by 6½ games on August 13, but lost 11 of their next 16 outings, relinquished the lead to Los Angeles on August 29, and had to settle for second place, three games behind L.A.

Injuries were largely responsible for Atlanta's problems last year. The Braves lost reliever Donnie Moore with a pulled groin muscle on August 3, first baseman Chris Chambliss with pulled muscles in his rib cage on August 8, third baseman Bob Horner with a broken bone in his right wrist on August 13, and infielder-outfielder Jerry Royster with torn ligaments in his right ankle on August 19.

Horner's mishap was reminiscent of 1982, when a September 18 injury rendered him useless for the rest of the regular season and ineffective in the losing N.L. championship series against St. Louis. At the time of the power hitter's mishap last August, he was batting .303 with 20 homers and 68 runs batted in, and the Braves were breezing along at a .597 clip (71-48 record). Then they lost 26 of their remaining 43 games. The Braves were damaged to a lesser extent by the three-week loss of Chambliss (.280, 20 HR, 78 RBI) and the absence of Royster (.235, 3 HR, 30 RBI, 11 steals) in late August and early September.

Unfortunately, the injury epidemic coincided with a breakdown in the Atlanta pitching staff. Rookie right-hander Craig McMurtry (15-9, 3.08 ERA) failed in nine straight late-season starts before achieving his thirteenth victory. Steve Bedrosian (9-10, 19 saves, 3.60), the overworked right-handed reliever, was staggering down the stretch (7.32 ERA over the final six weeks). He and the other relievers were burdened because no Atlanta starter completed a game in August. During that span, the Braves went four weeks without winning a game in which they scored fewer than five runs.



Owner Ted Turner and third-year manager Joe Torre yearn for the pitching to match the Braves' offensive firepower. Last fall, they encountered at least mild fan and player resentment by giving the club's elder statesman, Phil Niekro, his outright release after first inviting the 45-year-old right-hander to retire. The departure of the knuckleball specialist and the threatened loss of right-hander Pascual Perez (15-8, 3.43), charged with cocaine possession in his native Dominican Republic, have left a gap in Atlanta's starting rotation and detracted from the offseason accolades for Dale Murphy. The 28-year-old center fielder became only the fourth player in history to win the league's Most Valuable Player Award two seasons in a row. Murphy (.302, 36 HR, 121 RBI, 30 stolen bases) also became the sixth major leaguer to hit 30 homers and steal 30 bases in one season. Only beginning to approach the prime of his career, the rangy (6'5") right-handed power hitter will bid this year to become the first big leaguer ever to win MVP honors three straight seasons.

Murphy, Chambliss, and Horner are rejoined in the starting lineup by catcher Bruce Benedict (.298, 2 HR, 43 RBI), second baseman Glenn Hubbard (.263, 12 HR, 70 RBI), shortstop Rafael Ramirez (.297, 7 HR, 58 RBI, 16 steals), and right fielder Claudell Washington (.278, 9 HR, 44 RBI, 31 steals). It

Center fielder and N.L. MVP Dale Murphy (#3) and third baseman Bob Horner flank Craig McMurtry, the Braves best pitcher last season.



appears the Braves will platoon left fielders Gerald Perry (.314, 13 HR, 71 RBI, 26 steals at Richmond; .359 in 27 games at Atlanta) and Brad Komminsk (.334, 24 HR, 103 RBI at Richmond; .222 in 19 games at Atlanta). Perry, who bats left, was a first baseman in the minors.

The key for Atlanta may be Len Barker (8-13, 5.11 ERA at Cleveland; 1-3, 3.82 at Atlanta). The Braves gave up outfielder Brett Butler (.281, 39 steals), third baseman Brook Jacoby (.315, 25 HR, 100 RBI at Richmond), and right-hander Rick Behenna (3-3 at Atlanta, 6-5 at Richmond) to acquire Barker late last season, and hope now that he can offset the loss of Niekro, and possibly Perez. McMurtry and Barker may be left to lead a starting rotation that could include left-handers Pete Falcone (9-4, 3.63) and Ken Dayley (5-8, 4.30; 9-3 at Richmond). Other starting candidates include Rick Camp (10-9, 3.79), who was ailing at season's end, as well as two right-handers up from Richmond: Bob Walk (11-12, 5.21) and Tony Brizzolara (9-7, 3.74).

The Braves had planned to switch Bedrosian to the starting rotation if they were successful in their bid for free-agent reliever Rich Gossage. But when Gossage signed with San Diego, Bedrosian remained in the pen. Atlanta tied an N.L. high for saves (48) last year with a bullpen that also included right-handers Moore (2-3, 6 saves) and Gene Garber (4-5, 9 saves), and left-hander Terry Foster (3-2, 13 saves).

Biff Pocaroba (.267, 2 HR, 16 RBI) remains Benedict's chief replacement on an Atlanta bench that includes infielders Royster, Bob Watson (.309, 6 HR, 37 RBI), Randy Johnson (.250), Mike Jorgensen (.250, 2 HR, 11 RBI), and Paul Runge (.273, 15 HR, 72 RBI at Richmond) or Paul Zuvella (.287, 6 HR, 64 RBI at Richmond). Albert Hall (.294, 46 steals at Richmond), Terry Harper (.264, 3 HR, 26 RBI), and Leo Vargas (.289, 19 HR, 75 RBI at Richmond) are reserve outfielders.

The Braves need an improvement in their pitching, fewer errors at shortstop (Ramirez, with 39, led the league), and better success against left-handers (22-25 last year).



SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS

The San Francisco Giants proved last season that they could beat the National League's best. Unfortunately, they more often beat themselves, and finished fifth for the second time in four years. The team that played at a 20-10 clip against divisional winners Los Angeles (13-5) and Philadelphia (7-5) also led the N.L. in errors (171) and was second in unearned runs allowed (103).

Frank Robinson, who had finished fourth and third in his first two seasons as San Francisco's manager, says he cannot abide "one-dimensional players," and seemed to think the description fit veteran infielder Darrell Evans, who played out his option and signed with Detroit. Evans committed 12 errors in the 41 games he played at shortstop and third base, plus another seven at first, yet his departure creates the single greatest new problem Robinson faces this year. The Giants are certain to miss his 30 homers, 82 runs batted in, and 15 game-winning hits.

The right side of the San Francisco infield will be less porous this season because of the signing of free-agent second baseman Manny Trillo (.272, 1 HR, 29 RBI with Cleveland; .264, 2 HR, 16 RBI at Montreal). The three-time N.L. all-star set two major-league fielding records at his position with Philadelphia in 1982, and should help the Giants improve on their league-low for double plays (109).

As the season approached, San Francisco still had holes behind the plate and at first base, as well as the lingering problem of what

to do with Jack Clark (.268, 20 HR, 66 RBI), the discontented right fielder they could ill afford to trade without getting a comparable power hitter in return. The Giants reportedly had been on the verge late last season of shipping Clark and reliever Gary Lavelle to Pittsburgh for first baseman Jason Thompson, second baseman Johnny Ray, and infielder-outfielder Lee Lacy, but the trade fell through and seems unlikely to be revived.

The Giants must contend with the wind and cold at Candlestick Park, and seem to be at odds with Robinson almost as often as he is in disagreement with general manager Tom Haller on personnel matters. Robinson attempted once last summer to open up the lines of communication with his players by inviting them in a clubhouse meeting to say what they thought was wrong with his methods and approach.

Turmoil seems to be a way of life with the Giants, yet this is a team that could significantly improve on last year's record (79-83) because it has what has become a precious N.L. commodity: left-handed pitching. Last season, for example, the league's left-handers finished 38 games over .500 (274-236). Right-handers were 38 games under (698-736). Only Pittsburgh and Houston managed to finish as many as two games over .500 vs. lefties. It's a situation the Giants can capitalize on if Atlee Hammaker, Mark Davis, Lavelle, and Randy Lerch can avoid injury.

Hammaker, as a 25-year-old big-league sophomore, captured the league's earned-



Giants' left fielder Jeff Leonard

run average title (2.25), even though his 10-9 record was marred by five losses in six decisions after he developed tendinitis in his shoulder and was roughed up in the All-Star game. Davis, 23, and one of two starting pitchers Haller acquired in a profitable trade with Philadelphia the winter before last, spent the first part of the season at Phoenix, recovering from persistent arm problems, before bursting on the San Francisco scene. The hard thrower finished the year 6-4 (3.49 ERA) by winning six of his last seven decisions. He beat the Dodgers three times, twice via shutouts, and blanked them for 26 con-

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Atlee Hammaker of San Francisco

secutive innings. The two left-handers rejoin right-handers Mike Krukow (11-11, 3.95), Bill Laskey (13-10, 4.19), and Scott Garrelts (5-5 at Phoenix, 2-2 and 2.52 ERA with Giants) in what could be a much better than average

starting rotation. Laskey, who won seven straight after an 0-4 start, must avoid the back problems that caused him to miss the last five weeks of the season. Garrelts, a rookie, beat Atlanta, 2-1, in his big-league debut last fall.

The emergence of the 22-year-old Garrelts, a first-round draft choice (June of 1979), will permit right-hander Fred Breining (11-12, 3.82) to leave the starting rotation and provide needed long relief in a strong bullpen (47 saves) led from the left side by Lavelle (7-4, 20 saves, 2.59 ERA) and from the right by Greg Minton (7-11, 22 saves, 3.54). Lerch (1-0, 3.38), Renie Martin (2-4, 1 save, 4.20), and Andy McGaffigan (3-9, 2 saves, 4.29) also will be available in relief.

Chili Davis (.233, 11 HR, 59 RBI), whose disappointing sophomore season was marked by a ten-game demotion to Phoenix, and Jeff Leonard (.279, 21 HR, 87 RBI, 26 steals) figure again as outfield starters. If Clark departs, right field could become the property of Joel Youngblood (.292, 17 HR, 53 RBI), a part-time infielder in '83.

Trillo will form a much stronger keystone combination with shortstop Johnnie LeMaster (.240, 6 HR, 30 RBI, 39 steals). Youngblood could play third if things don't work out with young Tom O'Malley (.259, 5 HR, 45 RBI), who has neither speed nor power. First base is open because the most logical choice, veteran Dave Bergman (.286, 6 HR, 24 RBI), is so highly regarded as a pinch hitter (.355).

Opposing runners stole 23 consecutive bases against San Francisco at one point late

last season, even after the Giants dealt Milt May to the Pirates for Steve Nicosia (.215, 1 HR, 7 RBI), Bob Brenly (.224, 7 HR, 34 RBI), who has had arm problems, and Jeff Ransom (.226 at Phoenix) are catching candidates, along with Johnny Rabb (.231, 1 HR, 14 RBI), whom Robinson would prefer if Rabb can shake his psychological hangup about throwing to second base.

The bench will include infielders Duane Kuiper (.250), Joe Pettini (.186), and Brad Wellman (.214), as well as outfielders Max Venable (.219, 6 HR) and Dan Gladden (.222), who is impressive on defense.

Giants' right fielder Jack Clark



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CINCINNATI REDS

Artistically, the Cincinnati Reds are trying to emerge this season from a 50-year low. Baseball's team of the 1970s has suffered two last-place finishes in succession, something that hadn't happened to Cincinnati since 1933-34, and sweeping changes have been made to combat mounting fan apathy.

Bob Howsam, who assembled the talent for four pennants and two world championships from 1970 through 1976, replaced tight-fisted, unpopular Dick Wagner as front-office boss last July. Conservative Vern Rapp, a Montreal coach the last five years, was named manager last fall after the Reds (74-88 record) won 13 more games in Russ Nixon's first full term as skipper than they had in 1982.

The Reds had been charged with being unwilling to pay the price to keep high-salaried stars such as Pete Rose, George Foster, Joe Morgan, Tony Perez, and Ken Griffey on the payroll in recent years. Breaking tradition last winter, they signed free-agent outfielder Dave Parker, the former Pittsburgh standout, to a two-year, \$1.5 million contract and reacquired Perez from Philadelphia, though he was nearing his 42nd birthday. The Reds' determination to become competitive again was further demonstrated in late season when 17-game winner Mario Soto, a prize, 27-year-old right-hander, was signed to a five-year contract worth an estimated \$5.5 million. Cincinnati management has a long way to go to rebuild fan interest to the point it reached when home attendance exceeded two million eight seasons in a row (1973-80). Except for strike-torn 1981, last year's gate (1,190,419) was the smallest since the Reds moved into Riverfront Stadium in 1970.

Last season, the Reds were last in the N.L. in hitting (.239), eleventh in runs scored (623), eleventh in pitching (3.98 staff ERA), eleventh in saves (29), and tenth in double plays (121). However, it's a relatively young team that should improve if for no other reason than the presence of Parker (.279, 12 HR, 69 RBI) in the middle of the lineup. How much he was needed is illustrated by the fact that second baseman Ron Oester, a .264 hitter, led Cincinnati in runs batted in last season, with 58.

Added maturity should help at least four Reds who have the ability to become standouts. One, left fielder Gary Redus (.247, 51 RBI), led the Reds in runs scored (90), homers (17), and game-winning RBI (11), though he missed 37 games of his rookie season with injuries. Another rookie, third baseman Nick Esasky (.265), accumulated 12 homers and 46 RBI, though he played little more than half the season (85 games) after being brought up from Indianapolis. Eddie Milner, entering his third full season in the majors, firmly established himself in center field (.261, 9 HR, 33 RBI, 41 steals) and in the leadoff spot in the batting order. Jeff Russell, a 22-year-old right-hander and Cincinnati native, brightened the Reds' future when he came up from Indianapolis in August to win four of his first nine big-league decisions (3.03 ERA, 40 strikeouts in 68 innings).

The Reds' chances of escaping last place depend to a large extent on whether Tom Hume (3-5, 9 saves, 4.77) can come all the way back from the knee surgery (torn cartilage) he had on July 30, 1982. To that point, the 31-year-old right-hander had logged 72

saves in little more than 3½ seasons. The Reds look for improvement in Hume and in Dave Concepcion (.233, 1 HR, 47 RBI); the 35-year-old shortstop who had his poorest offensive season since 1972 before undergoing surgery on his left shoulder last fall.

Rapp is expected to play Esasky at third, Concepcion at short, Oester at second, Dan Driessen (.277, 12 HR, 57 RBI) at first, Redus in left, Milner in center, and Parker in right. The Reds, acknowledging their weakness behind the plate, acquired left-handed hitter Brad Gulden (.316, 9 HR, 47 RBI at Columbus), who left the Yankees for free agency. He could divide time with sophomore Dann Bilardello (.238, 9 HR, 38 RBI) and the disappointing Alex Trevino (.216, 1 HR, 13 RBI), both right-handed hitters.

Former San Diego left-hander Bob Owchinko (10-6, 4.25 ERA at Hawaii), picked up from the Pirates on waivers, will attempt to break into a starting rotation that includes right-handers Soto (17-13, 2.70), Russell, Bruce Berenyi (9-14, 3.86), and Frank Pastore (9-12, 4.88), as well as southpaw Joe Price (10-6, 2.88). Charlie Puleo (6-12, 4.89) may have to content himself with long relief, as may Ted Power (5-6, 2 saves, 4.54). Hume, Ben Hayes (4-6, 7 saves, 6.49), and Brad "The Animal" Leslie, chastened by his demotion to Indianapolis (3-1, 3 saves), are the leading right-handed candidates for short relief in a bullpen with left-hander Bill Scherrer (2-3, 10 saves, 2.74 as a rookie surprise).

The supporting cast includes infielders Tom Foley (.204), Tom Lawless (.279, 13 HR, 46 steals at Indianapolis), and veteran Wayne Krenchicki (.273), reacquired after going to Detroit in mid-season. High-salaried Cesar Cedeño (.232) may be traded. If he's not, he'll be an outfield sub with Paul Householder, Duane Walker, and rookie Dallas Williams (.328, 11 HR, 75 RBI at Indianapolis).

Right fielder Dave Parker (below) joins left fielder Gary Redus and ace right-hander Mario Soto (top) on the Cincinnati Reds.



NATIONAL LEAGUE

ROOKIES OF THE YEAR

● A pair of hard-hitting outfielders were named the top rookies in baseball last season: Ron Kittle of the Chicago White Sox in the American League and Darryl Strawberry of the New York Mets in the National League.

Kittle, 26, picked up last year where he left off at Edmonton. The minor league player of the year in 1982, when he batted .345 with 50 home runs and 144 RBIs for Chicago's top farm club, Kittle helped the White Sox run away with the Western Division title in 1983 by belting 35 homers and driving in 100 runs. He batted .254. He received 15 of a possible 28 first-place votes and 104 points and thus became the fourth White Sox player—after Luis Aparicio (1956), Gary Peters (1963), and Tommie Agee (1966)—to win the rookie award.

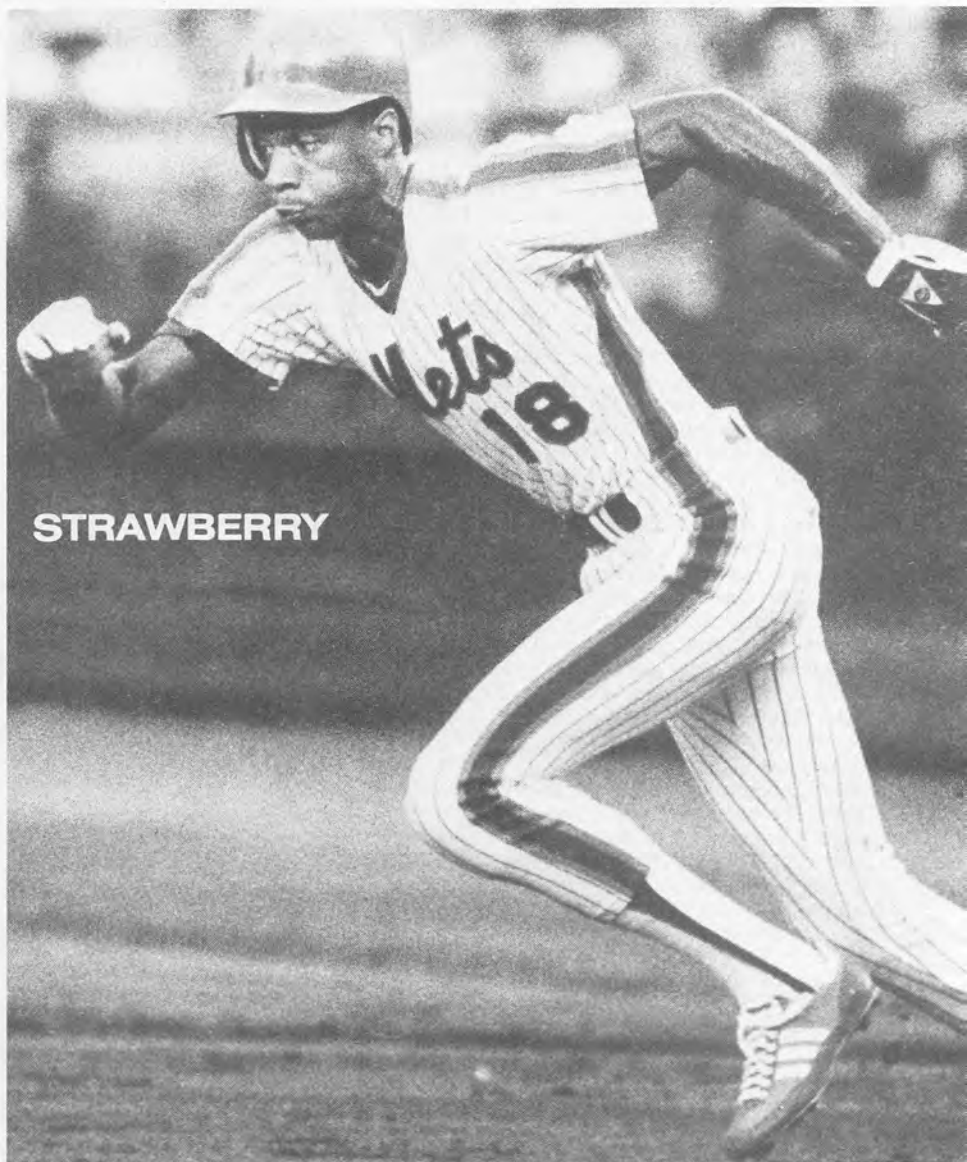
Cleveland shortstop Julio Franco (.273, 8 HR, 80 RBI, 32 SB) was the runner-up in the balloting, with eight first-place votes and 78 points. Baltimore right-hander Mike Bod-dicker (16-8 record, 2.77 ERA, league-high 5 shutouts), who revived the Orioles with victories in the second game of both the league championship series and the World Series, was the only other A.L. player named in the election. He received five firsts and 70 points.

Strawberry, 22, the MVP in the Texas League in '82, when he hit .283 with 34 homers and 97 ribbies, began last season with Tidewater in Triple A. Promoted to the Mets early in May, Strawberry started slowly. But he improved in the second half and by year's end had raised his average to .257 with 26 home runs and 74 RBIs. Strawberry was the only National Leaguer named on all 24 ballots cast, collecting 18 first-place votes and 106 points. He is the third Met—after Tom Seaver (1967) and Jon Matlack (1972)—to win the rookie honor.

Atlanta pitcher Craig Murtry (15-9, 3.08 ERA) finished second in the voting, with six firsts and 49 points. Chicago outfielder Mel Hall (.283, 17 HR, 56 RBI) was third, with 32 points. He was followed by Cincinnati outfielder Gary Redus, second baseman Bill Doran and reliever Frank DiPino of Houston, L.A. first baseman Greg Brock, and pitchers Jose De-Leon of Pittsburgh, Mark Thurmond of San Diego, and Lee Tunnell of Pitt.



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JOHNNY BENCH

A sellout crowd of 53,790 fans turned out at Riverfront Stadium last September 17 to honor Johnny Bench, who was retiring after 16 seasons with the Cincinnati Reds. Bench rose to the occasion in typical fashion by belting a game-tying two-run homer off the Houston Astros' Mike Madden. It was his last home run, No. 389—a major-league record 324 of which he hit as a catcher—and only 20 players in baseball history have hit more.

The strain of catching 100 or more games for 13 straight years (1968-80)—a record shared by Bill Dickey—took its toll on Bench, who was employed primarily as a third baseman/pinch hitter in recent years. But on August 31 last season, he caught his first game since April 29, 1981. And he was immediately challenged when the Cubs' Ryne Sandberg, who led off the game with a single, attempted to steal second. Bench threw him out.

"I know you're the greatest ever, but is it that easy?" asked Larry Bowa, Chicago's No. 2 batter.

Bench made it look easy from the start. A second-round selection in the June, 1965 draft, he became the National League Rookie of the Year in 1968 and shortly thereafter began to establish himself as the premier backstop of his time. He won his first Most Valuable Player Award in 1970 when he hit .293 with 97 runs, 45 homers, and 148 runs batted in. He won his second in 1972 after batting .270 with 40 home runs and 125 RBIs. Fourteen times an All-Star, Bench helped Cincinnati capture four pennants and two World Series titles. With 1,744 games behind the plate, he ranks fourth behind Al Lopez, Rick Farrell, and Gabby Hartnett.

JOHNNY BENCH'S CAREER RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB
1965	Tampa	.248	68	214	29	53	13	1	2	35	27	32	2
1966	Peninsula	.294	98	350	59	103	16	0	22	68	36	69	0
1966	Buffalo	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1967	Buffalo	.259	98	344	39	89	17	2	23	68	21	68	2
1967	Cincinnati	.163	26	86	7	14	3	1	1	6	5	19	0
1968	Cincinnati	.275	154	564	67	155	40	2	15	82	31	96	1
1969	Cincinnati	.293	148	532	83	156	23	1	26	90	49	86	6
1970	Cincinnati	.293	158	605	97	177	35	4	45	148	54	102	5
1971	Cincinnati	.238	149	562	80	134	19	2	27	61	49	83	2
1972	Cincinnati	.270	147	538	87	145	22	2	40	125	100	84	6
1973	Cincinnati	.253	152	557	83	141	17	3	25	104	83	83	4
1974	Cincinnati	.280	160	621	108	174	38	2	33	129	80	90	5
1975	Cincinnati	.283	142	530	83	150	39	1	28	110	65	108	11
1976	Cincinnati	.234	135	465	62	109	24	1	16	74	81	95	13
1977	Cincinnati	.275	142	494	67	136	34	2	31	109	58	95	2
1978	Cincinnati	.260	120	393	52	102	17	1	23	73	50	83	4
1979	Cincinnati	.276	130	464	73	128	19	0	22	80	67	73	4
1980	Cincinnati	.250	114	360	52	90	12	0	24	68	41	64	4
1981	Cincinnati	.309	52	178	14	55	8	0	8	25	17	21	0
1982	Cincinnati	.258	119	399	44	103	16	0	13	38	37	58	1
1983	Cincinnati	.255	110	310	32	79	15	2	12	54	24	38	0
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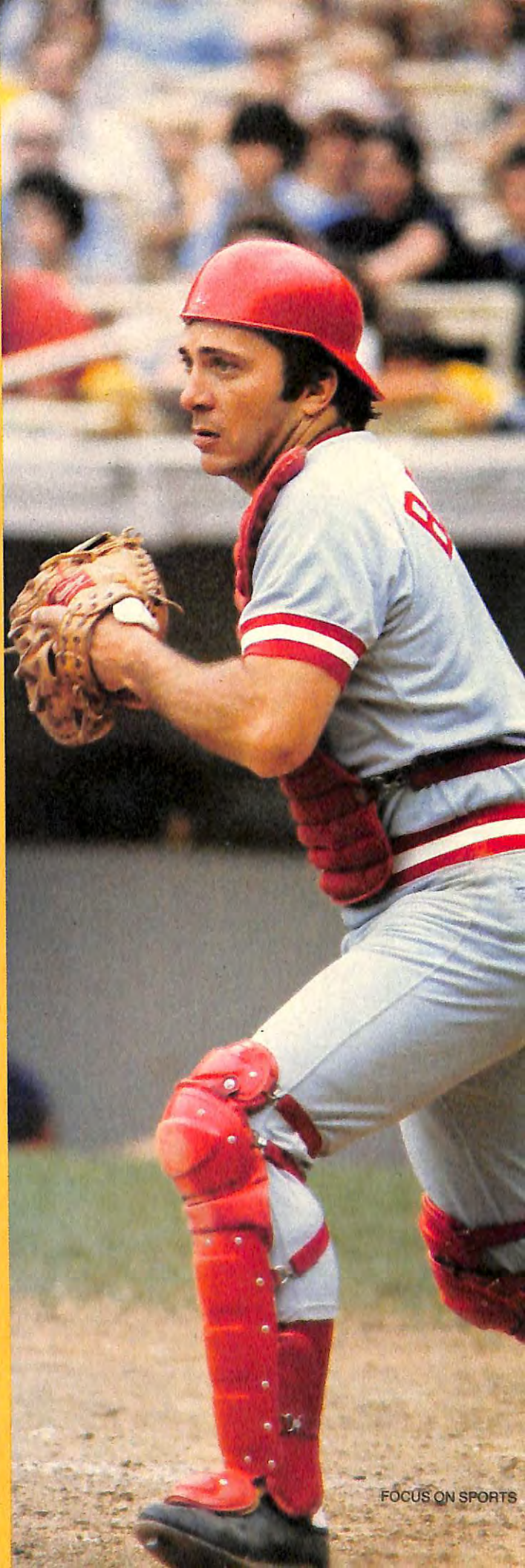
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STEVE GARVEY'S LONG-PLAYING RECORD

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Consistency. That is Steve Garvey's ultimate weapon. You can knock his skills today and question his sincerity tomorrow, but next week and next month and next year Steve Garvey will still be there, getting his hits, knocking in his runs, making his plays at first base, and doing his charity work.

"You write his name on the lineup card and forget him," says Tommy Lasorda, Garvey's former manager in Los Angeles. "You know he's going to do his job. He always does."

"He's one of the most consistent players I've ever seen," says Dick Williams, Garvey's present manager in San Diego. "You build your lineup around him. He'll be there."

Says San Diego teammate Kurt Bevacqua, who has been in the major leagues since 1971: "You just put [Garvey] in the lineup and pencil in .300, 25 (home runs), and 100 (RBI). You know he'll do it, because he always has."

So taken for granted is Steve Garvey's everyday presence that it seems the only way the man can accomplish something truly newsworthy is to be inconsistent. The major event of his 1982 season was not Garvey's 1,118th consecutive game on April 18, which broke Billy Williams's National League record for durability. It was not even his 2,000th big-league hit, a ground-ball single to left against Willie Hernandez of Chicago on May 6.

Steve Garvey made his biggest news on July 29 when he injured his thumb, ending a consecutive-game playing streak of 1,207 games. Finally, Steve Garvey was no longer consistent. He had survived 104-degree fevers, chip fractures, pulled muscles, migraine headaches, a 20-stitch gash in his chin, and a trip through free agency to remain in the lineup. But he could not survive this. Attempting to score from third base on a short passed ball, Garvey slid headfirst and jammed his hand into the foot of Atlanta pitcher Pasqual Perez. While Perez spiked the ball triumphantly after tagging the runner out, Garvey knelt at home plate, his left thumb a suddenly useless thing.

"I thought it was jammed," remembers Garvey. "But when I tried to straighten it out, it just flopped over. I knew then the streak was over."

Just that quickly, in an awkward, seemingly insignificant moment, history which began on September 3, 1975, in Cincinnati ended in the dust of home plate at San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. The man who never misses a game would miss the final two months of the season, fretting away his time on the bench.

"I'm not used to not playing," he admitted. "It's a very, very frustrating feeling."

Garvey had torn the ligaments in his thumb. He was no longer consistent. Man bites dog. Now *that* was news. It was with a sense of some relief that this report was received by many. Garvey is only human, after all. In an odd sort of way, it made him more appealing.

There is something about the consistent Steve Garvey that makes a lot of us nervous, you see. We applaud people like him, but we are not very comfortable with them. It is one thing to talk about trustworthy, loyal, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent, and quite another to deal with it face to face. Our problem with Garvey is that the man appears to be practically perfect in every way. He is not, of course. Never said he was. But somehow the impression will not go away. It would make us feel much better if Garvey could be observed

scratching himself, burping, splitting an infinitive, or even dropping an occasional "Hell." With his hand in a cast, Garvey seemed merely mortal, one of the guys. Hey, Steve, have a beer.

Garvey appreciates the irony of this. Other people's expectations can grow heavy, Steve didn't ask for them, but he does not reject them, either. He is what he is, a man who tries his hardest every day. No more, no less. Not even his most severe critic can claim to have seen Steve Garvey be anything but Steve Garvey. If this guy is playing a role, he deserves an academy award annually.

"Steve is so honest," says Bevacqua. "He is exactly the man you see. He is consistent."

There's that word again. Six 200-hit seasons. (Only seven players in major-league history have more.) Five 100-RBI seasons. Five 20-home run seasons. A career batting average of .3003. Seven straight seasons (1974-80) as a starter in the All-Star game. Garvey has not done such things because he is without flaw. He does them because he can deal with his flaws. He is too short to play first base, can't throw, doesn't slide very well, and swings at too many bad pitches. But there are a lot of tall first basemen with good arms and disciplined strike zones who do not have Garvey's impressive statistics.

"The man is amazing," says Bevacqua. "Imagine anybody going to work 1,117 straight days, no matter what his job is. How many people take a day off because they have a headache or a cold or they just don't feel like working? I don't know what kind of guy Lou Gehrig was, but he must have been a lot like Garvey." (Gehrig holds the major-league record for consecutive games played, with 2,130.)

Garvey, like Gehrig, has not been free from pain. He copes with it, that's all. There was the pain of a very public breakup of what appeared to be a perfect marriage. There was the publicized fight with one Los Angeles Dodger teammate and open animosity from others. There was, finally, the end of the trail with the Dodger organization, a trail which stretched back to Garvey's childhood days when his father drove the bus for that team in spring training. Garvey had planned to finish his career as a Dodger, but he turned down a four-year contract from L.A. He became a free agent in the fall of 1982 and, for \$6.6 million over five years, traded Dodger blue for Padre brown.

"I never thought I'd leave the Dodgers," Garvey admits. "But life doesn't always turn out the way you think it will."

It was a bittersweet moment on April 16, 1983, when Garvey, as a Padre, broke Billy Williams's National League iron-man record in a game played in Dodger Stadium. A sellout crowd cheered him to the echo, and he responded by saying: "There aren't many words that can describe the feeling I have for you. But there are three: I love you." Garvey also took a full-page ad in the Los Angeles *Times*, at a cost of \$15,000, to express his appreciation to Los Angeles fans. As usual, not everyone responded in kind, or kindly. Among a flurry of critical letters to the *Times* in response was one reading: "Never have I seen one man expend so much time, energy and now money to extol his own virtues. Someone should remind Steve Garvey of one virtue he clearly lacks. That is humility."

"It wasn't an ad," says Garvey now. "It was a (continued)"

message. An ad is done to publicize or sell something. All I wanted to do, after all those years in Los Angeles, was to give the fans something they could have in their physical possession to thank them for all those seasons."

Garvey expends a lot of time, energy and money outside of baseball, but very little of it goes to extolling his own virtues. He is active in San Diego public service work with the symphony, the opera, the March of Dimes, Ronald McDonald House, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Operation Cork, and an organization which promotes the arts. This is in addition to various business interests and two enterprises of his own creating—PACE (Professional Athletes Career Enterprises) and Garvey Marketing Group.

In all of this, you might think, there would be some degree of distraction from Garvey's chief occupation of playing first base for the San Diego Padres. Additionally, in 1983, he faced a temptation which has brought down so many free agents who moved to new teams for large dollars—trying to do more than they were capable of doing and failing miserably. Garvey fell back on his ultimate resource: consistency. In ten years as a Dodger regular, his lowest average was .282 and his highest .319. Only twice did he fail to drive in as many as 80 runs—and one of those times was in the strike-shortened season—and five times he had 106 or more.

"I sat down and thought about it once I signed," he says. "I thought about what was expected of me and what I could realistically do. My record said I could be expected to hit around .300, drive in around 100 runs, hit for power, and play solid defense."

Of course, a large number of free agents have made liars out of their records in trying to live up to the large numbers on their contracts. But Garvey refused the bait. When injured in his 100th game, he was averaging .294, leading San Diego in hits (114), runs (76), home runs (14), and standing second in RBIs (59). Those totals projected over a full season—never mind the fact that Garvey usually finishes strongly—would figure out to 123 runs scored (he never scored more than 100 as a Dodger), 23 home runs, and 96 RBIs.

"Probably my best thing in baseball . . . in life . . . is the ability to concentrate," Garvey said. "I can usually put other things out of my mind, especially when I'm playing, and concentrate on what I have to do. The ability to block out the surroundings is the difference between a .500 player and a winner, I believe."

Garvey has been consistent, too, in his choice of baseball companions over the years. This strait-laced, conservative soul has persisted in aligning himself with such off-center types as Jay Johnstone, Jerry Reuss, and, now, Bevacqua. None of these gentlemen has been accused of swimming in the mainstream of life.

"I've wondered about that myself," Bevacqua admits. "I think he has a crazier side, too, but it just doesn't show. Steve

Garvey saluted his fans after he broke Billy Williams' iron-man record last April 16.



Garvey can't very well dump a bucket of water on somebody. He'd like to be a little more like us, maybe, and we'd probably like to be a little more like him. It's kind of a two-way street."

"I think the humorists and the conservative-type guys kind of migrate together," Garvey admits. "I get a lot of laughs being around them and they get a lot of, how shall I say it, direction from a guy like me. I keep them from going one step beyond. Those kind of people have a tendency to keep the game in perspective, and that's important. It is a game, a game played in pajamas. You get dirty, you hit a round ball with a round bat. It is a boys' game that I feel fortunate to have grown up with and now make a very good living at."

Garvey's baseball life will go on at least another four years, the duration remaining on his contract with the Padres. After that, who knows? If Garvey maintains his present pace, and his consistency says he will, he will be approaching 3,000 career hits by then—a magic number which can help open the doors to the Hall of Fame.

"We'll see," Garvey says. "It will be a year-by-year thing. I won't keep playing if I feel I can't be productive." And we all know what that means. If he can't be consistent.

Beyond baseball, there has been the suggestion of a possible political career. Why not? The man already has a junior high school (in Lindsay, Calif.) named after him, a head start enjoyed by few politicians. With a former NBA star (Bill Bradley) in the Senate, a former quarterback (Jack Kemp) in the House, and a former play-by-play man in the White House, the climate is not as unfavorable to former athletes as it might have been.

"I've always felt that once baseball was over I'd like to do something that has redeeming value to it," Garvey says. "I want to continue to work with people, and politics seems to be one viable alternative after sports. I don't think whatever you have been in the past should be a deterrent as long as you have the principles and qualities and knowledge of the subjects to be able to represent people fairly."

As he does with everything else, Garvey seeks diligently after such knowledge. "I don't know if he'll decide to go into politics or not," says Bevacqua, "but I know he spends a lot of time reading, studying, talking to people. He'll be prepared if that's what he decides to do."

"Playing a sport like baseball on a daily basis, you operate in sort of a vacuum," Garvey believes. "If you allow it to happen, everything is done for you until you begin moving in a sort of catatonic cycle. The outside things I'm involved with keep me fresh. I think that's important for me, both as a baseball player and a person."

It is difficult to imagine Steve Garvey ever growing stale. Or changing very much, for that matter. He will be Steve Garvey. .300, 25, 100. Courteous, kind, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.

Consistent.

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Stan Musial	895	Steve Brodie	574
Eddie Yost	829	Aaron Ward	565
Gus Suhr	822	George LaChance	540
Nellie Fox	798	Buck Freeman	535
Pete Rose	745	Fred Luderus	533
Richie Ashburn	730	Clyde Milan	511
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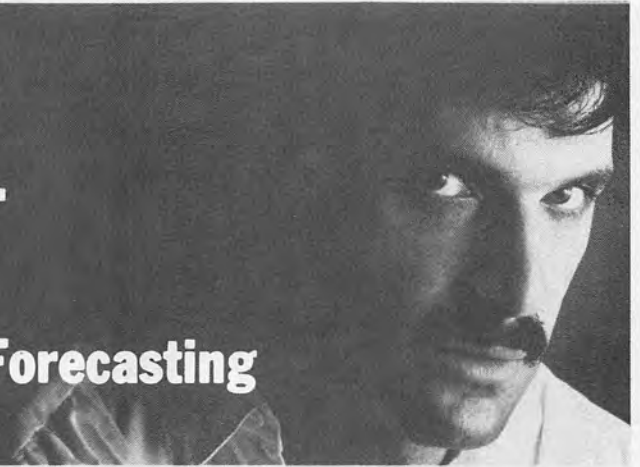
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LUIS APARICIO

HALL OF FAME

"Diversified" is the word baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn used to describe the election which saw Luis Aparicio, Harmon Killebrew, and Don Drysdale enter the Hall of Fame this year. With their skills, the three former players represent one of the most versatile classes ever to enroll at Cooperstown.

Aparicio, the premier shortstop of his time and a record-breaking base-stealer, played for 18 years (1956-73) with the Chicago White Sox, the Baltimore Orioles, and the Boston Red Sox. Killebrew, one of the sport's feared sluggers, performed for 20 years (1954-74) in the Washington Senators-Minnesota Twins' organization before spending his final season with the Kansas City Royals. Drysdale, a hard-throwing and intimidating right-hander, pitched for 14 years (1956-69) with the Dodgers, first in Brooklyn and later in Los Angeles.

A total of 303 votes, or 75 percent of all ballots cast, was required to gain admission in 1984. Aparicio received 341 votes (84.6%) in his sixth year on the ballot, Killebrew 335 (83.1%) in his fourth year, and Drysdale 316 (78.4%) in his tenth year. Hoyt Wilhelm finished fourth in the election, 13 votes shy of acceptance with 290. If he gains the necessary additional support next year, he will become the first relief pitcher elected to the Hall of Fame. Nelson Fox, Aparicio's keystone partner for several seasons with the White Sox, finished fifth, with 246 votes in his fourteenth year on the ballot. He was followed by Billy Williams, with 202 votes, and Jim Bunning, with 201.

Aparicio, who helped lead the 1959 "Go-Go" Sox to the pennant, was called by Bill Veeck, that team's former owner, "the best shortstop I've ever seen." That sentiment was echoed by Hall of Famer Brooks Robinson (one of last year's inductees), who played alongside Aparicio on the world champion Baltimore Orioles in 1966.

The major-league record-holder at his position in the number of games played (2,581), total chances accepted (12,564), assists (8,016), and double plays (1,555), Aparicio also owns the American League mark for most career putouts (4,548) by a shortstop. In addition, he led the A.L. in fielding percentage eight straight years, in total chances and in assists seven years, and in putouts four years.

Named the Rookie of the Year in 1956, Aparicio immediately began to revitalize the running game in baseball. He established a major-league record by leading the A.L. in stolen bases for nine consecutive seasons. He finished his career with 506 thefts.

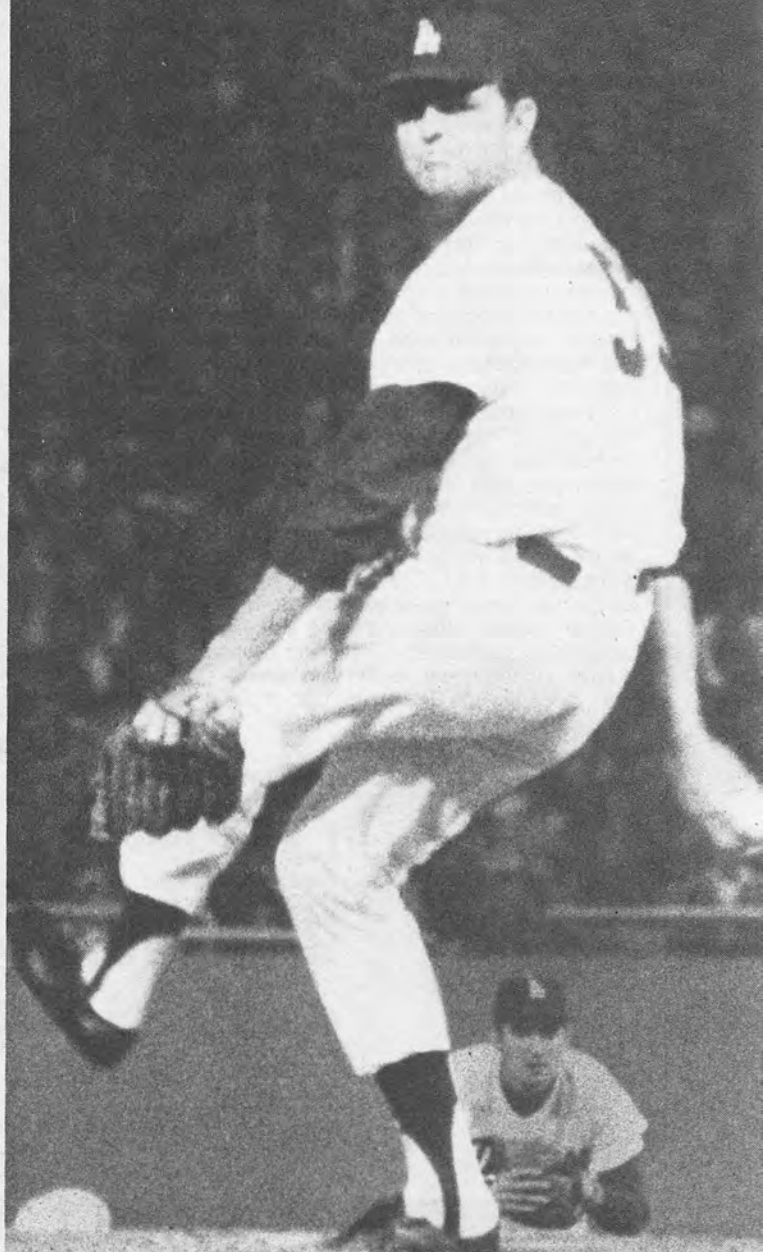
On the opposite end of the base-stealing spectrum was Harmon Killebrew. He set an American League standard for most years (3) with no stolen bases. Neither was Killebrew,

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HARMON KILLEBREW



DON DRYSDALE



HALL OF FAME

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who saw action at third base, at first, and in left field, known for defensive prowess. Rather, his forte was power. With 573 home runs he is second to Babe Ruth in the American League record book and fifth in baseball history.

Killebrew began his career in Washington in 1954, but was used sparingly in his first five seasons, collecting 11 home runs in just 113 games in that span. In 1959, however, he hammered a league-leading 42 homers (the first of his eight 40-homer efforts) and drove in 105 runs (a figure he surpassed eight times). He was named the league's Most Valuable Player in 1969 when he batted .276 with 106 runs, 49 homers, 140 runs batted in, and 145 bases on balls, carrying the Twins to a Western Division title in the inaugural league championship series.

Don Drysdale established himself as a fair slugger in his own right, hitting seven home runs in a season twice. But he, of course, was much more famous for trying to discourage opposing batters, backing them off the plate with a high, hard pitch. For though Drysdale had excellent control—nearly three-to-one strikeouts-to-walks ratio—he led the National League in hit batters five times. He also set a league record for most seasons (6) with 200 or more strikeouts, three times leading the N.L. in whiffs. Upon his retirement in 1969, he had fanned 2,486 batters, and only seven pitchers at the time had recorded more. With the coming of Gaylord Perry, Steve Carlton, Nolan Ryan, and others, Drysdale has dropped to eighteenth place on the strikeout chart.

A durable competitor, he averaged 39 starts per year from 1959 to 1967. He teamed with left-hander Sandy Koufax to give the Dodgers a dynamic one-two punch for five years (1962-66), during which time Los Angeles won three pennants—and missed a fourth in a playoff loss to San Francisco—and two World Series titles. Twice a 20-game winner, Drysdale enjoyed his best season in 1962 when his 25-9 record and 2.83 earned-run average earned him the Cy Young Award. But his most remarkable feat occurred in 1968, when Drysdale tossed six straight shutouts and set the major-league record with 58½ consecutive scoreless innings. He had a career-low 2.15 ERA that year, yet won only 14 games as the Dodgers finished a dismal seventh in the National League. Overall, Drysdale posted a 209-166 mark with an outstanding 2.95 earned-run average in his career.

Among those former players who become eligible for election in 1985 are Lou Brock, Jim "Catfish" Hunter, and Mickey Lolich.

1984 HALL OF FAME VOTING

(303 votes necessary for election.)

Luis Aparicio.....	Votes 341	Bill Mazeroski.....	74
Harmon Killebrew.....	335	Elroy Face.....	65
Don Drysdale.....	316	Elston Howard.....	45
Hoyt Wilhelm.....	290	Joe Torre.....	45
Nelson Fox.....	246	Thurman Munson.....	29
Billy Williams.....	202	Don Larsen.....	25
Jim Bunning.....	201	Wilbur Wood.....	14
Orlando Cepeda.....	124	Jim Fregosi.....	4
Tony Oliva.....	124	Jim Bouton.....	3
Roger Maris.....	107	Dave Johnson.....	3
Harvey Kuenn.....	106	Mickey Stanley.....	2
Maury Wills.....	104	Bob Bailey.....	1
Lew Burdette.....	97	Clay Carroll.....	1

Nelson Briles, Jim Colborn, and Ron Fairly failed to receive a vote. All players with fewer than 20 votes are dropped from further consideration.

LUIS APARICIO'S MAJOR-LEAGUE RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB
1956	Chicago	.266	152	533	69	142	19	6	3	56	34	63	21
1957	Chicago	.257	143	575	82	148	22	6	3	41	52	55	28
1958	Chicago	.266	145	557	76	148	20	9	2	40	35	38	29
1959	Chicago	.257	152	612	98	157	18	5	6	51	52	40	56
1960	Chicago	.277	153	600	86	166	20	7	2	61	43	39	51
1961	Chicago	.272	156	625	90	170	24	4	6	45	38	33	53
1962	Chicago	.241	153	581	72	140	23	5	7	40	32	36	31
1963	Baltimore	.250	146	601	73	150	18	8	5	45	36	35	40
1964	Baltimore	.266	146	578	93	154	20	3	10	37	49	51	57
1965	Baltimore	.225	144	564	67	127	20	10	8	40	46	56	26
1966	Baltimore	.276	151	659	97	182	25	8	6	41	33	42	25
1967	Baltimore	.233	134	546	55	127	22	5	4	31	29	44	18
1968	Chicago	.264	155	622	55	164	24	4	4	36	33	43	17
1969	Chicago	.280	156	599	77	168	24	5	5	51	66	29	24
1970	Chicago	.313	146	552	86	173	29	3	5	43	53	34	8
1971	Boston	.232	125	491	56	114	23	0	4	45	35	43	6
1972	Boston	.257	110	436	47	112	26	3	3	39	26	28	3
1973	Boston	.271	132	499	56	135	17	1	0	49	43	33	13
Major League Totals		.262	2599	10,230	1335	2677	394	92	83	791	735	742	506

WORLD SERIES

1959	Chicago	.308	6	26	1	8	1	0	0	0	2	3	1
1966	Baltimore	.250	4	16	0	4	1	0	0	2	0	0	0
Totals		.286	10	42	1	12	2	0	0	2	2	3	1

HARMON KILLEBREW'S MAJOR-LEAGUE RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB
1954	Washington	.308	9	13	1	4	1	0	0	3	2	3	0
1955	Washington	.200	38	80	12	16	1	0	4	7	9	31	0
1956	Washington	.222	44	99	10	22	2	0	5	13	10	39	0
1957	Washington	.290	9	31	4	9	2	0	2	5	2	8	0
1958	Washington	.194	13	31	2	6	0	0	0	2	0	12	0
1959	Washington	.242	153	546	98	132	20	2	42	105	90	116	3
1960	Washington	.276	124	442	84	122	19	1	31	80	71	106	1
1961	Minnesota	.288	150	541	94	156	20	7	46	122	107	109	1
1962	Minnesota	.243	155	552	85	134	21	1	48	126	106	142	1
1963	Minnesota	.258	142	515	88	133	18	0	45	96	72	105	0
1964	Minnesota	.270	158	577	95	156	11	1	49	111	93	135	0
1965	Minnesota	.269	113	401	78	108	16	1	25	75	72	69	0
1966	Minnesota	.281	162	569	89	160	27	1	39	110	103	98	0
1967	Minnesota	.269	163	547	105	147	24	1	44	113	131	111	1
1968	Minnesota	.210	100	295	40	62	7	2	17	40	70	70	0
1969	Minnesota	.276	162	555	106	153	20	2	49	140	145	84	8
1970	Minnesota	.271	157	527	96	143	20	1	41	113	128	84	0
1971	Minnesota	.254	147	500	61	127	19	1	28	119	114	96	3
1972	Minnesota	.231	139	433	53	100	13	2	26	74	94	91	0
1973	Minnesota	.242	69	248	29	60	9	1	5	32	41	59	0
1974	Minnesota	.222	122	333	28	74	7	0	13	54	45	61	0
1975	Kansas City	.199	106	312	25	62	13	0	14	44	54	70	1
Major League Totals		.256	2345	8147	1283	2086	290	24	573	1584	1559	1699	19

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

1969	Minnesota	.125	3	8	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	-	0
1970	Minnesota	.273	3	11	2	3	0	0	2	4	2	-	0
Totals		.211	6	19	4	4	1	0	2	4	8	6	0

WORLD SERIES

1965	Minnesota	.286	7	21	2	6	0	0	1	2	6	4	0
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DON DRYSDALE'S MAJOR-LEAGUE RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	ERA	W	L	PCT	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	SO	BB
1956	Brooklyn	2.64	5	5	.500	25	12	2	99.0	95	35	55	31
1957	Brooklyn	2.69	17	9	.654	34	29	9	221.0	197	76	148	61
1958	Los Angeles	4.17	12	13	.480	44	29	6	211.2	214	107	131	72
1959	Los Angeles	3.46	17	13	.567	44	36	15	270.2	237	113	242	93
1960	Los Angeles	2.84	15	14	.517	41	36	15	269.0	214	93	246	72
1961	Los Angeles	3.69	13	10	.565	40	37	10	244.0	236	111	182	83
1962	Los Angeles	2.83	25	9	.735	43	41	19	314.1	272	122	232	78
1963	Los Angeles	2.63	19	17	.528	42	42	17	315.1	287	114	251	57
1964	Los Angeles	2.18	18	16	.529	40	40	21	321.1	242	91	237	68
1965	Los Angeles	2.77	23	12	.657	44	42	20	308.1	270	113	210	66
1966	Los Angeles	3.42	13	16	.448	40	40	11	273.2	279	114	177	45
1967	Los Angeles	2.74	13	16	.448	38	38	9	282.0	269	101	196	60
1968	Los Angeles	2.15	14	12	.538	31	31	12	239.0	201	68	155	56
1969	Los Angeles	4.43	5	4	.556	12	12	1	63.0	71	34	31	13
Major League Totals		2.95	209	166	.577	518	465	167	3432.1	3084	1292	2486	855

WORLD SERIES

1956	Brooklyn	9.00	0	0	.000	1	0	0	2.0	2	2	1	1
1959	Los Angeles	1.29	1	0	1.000	1	1	0	7.0	11	1	5	4
1963	Los Angeles	0.00	1	0	1.000	1	1	1	9.0	3	0	9	1
1965	Los Angeles	3.86	1	1	.500	2	2	1	11.2	12	9	15	3
1966	Los Angeles	4.50	0	2	.000	2	2	1	10.0	8	5	6	3
Totals		2.95	3	3	.500	7	6	3	39.2	36	17	36	12

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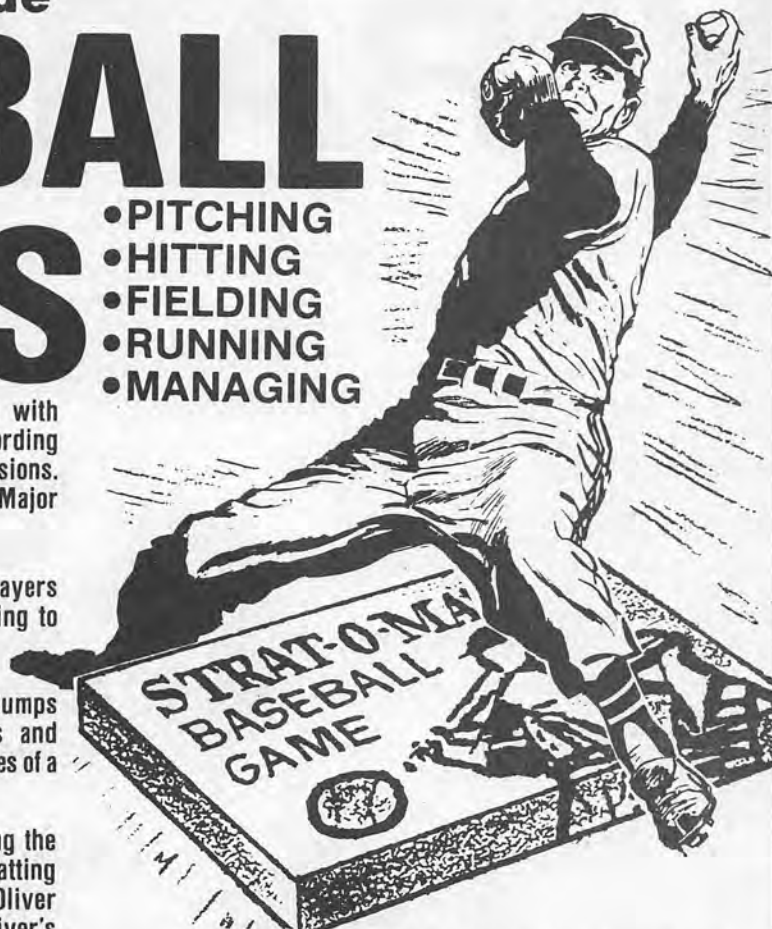
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● When Walter Johnson retired in 1927, he had fanned an unprecedented 3,508 batters in his 21 seasons with the Washington Senators. That record remained No. 1 on the all-time strikeout chart for over 55 years, but last season, in less than four months' time, Johnson dropped from the top spot to No. 4.

Nolan Ryan of the Houston Astros displaced Johnson on April 27 when he made the Montreal Expos' Brad Mills his 3,509th strikeout victim. On May 20, the Philadelphia Phillies' Steve Carlton struck out Garry Templeton of the San Diego Padres to pass Johnson for second place. And on August 13, Gaylord Perry of the Kansas City Royals whiffed Tony Armas of the Boston Red Sox to relegate Johnson to fourth place among baseball's strikeout artists.

Johnson's position is secure for now, however, because Tom Seaver—in fifth place (3272)—though still active with the White Sox, would need 237 Ks to pass him, and Seaver hasn't had that many since 1975.

The Chicago Cubs' Ferguson Jenkins (3192) is 316 strikeouts behind Johnson, but he has announced that the 1984 campaign will be his last. Hall of Famer Bob Gibson, who in 1977 became the second pitcher to record 3,000 whiffs, is seventh (3117) on the all-time list. The Milwaukee Brewers' Don Sutton (3065) last year was the eighth member to join the 3,000-K club, but it would take him at least three years to produce the 443

strikeouts necessary to overtake Johnson. Phil Niekro is 88 Ks shy of 3,000.

The start of the 1983 season found Ryan, with 3,494 strikeouts, in second place; Perry, with 3,452, in third; and Carlton, with 3,434, in fourth. Ryan said that he expected Carlton to surpass everyone eventually, but admitted that it was important to him that he break Johnson's record before Carlton did. Delayed temporarily in his quest when he spent 21 days on the disabled list at the start of the season, Ryan accomplished his goal in his third start. He fanned Tim Blackwell on a 3-2 fastball to tie Johnson before fooling Mills, pinch-hitting for Doug Flynn, with a 1-2 breaking pitch for the special K. Ryan went back on the disabled list on May 3 for three weeks. When he returned to action, he and Carlton duelled for the strikeout lead through the early part of the summer until Carlton, on July 28, pulled ahead to stay. By the end of the season, Carlton, with 3,709 Ks, was No. 1; Ryan, with 3,677, was No. 2. Perry called it a career after 21 years and 3,534 whiffs.

Baseball's two greatest strikeout artists have, of course, been durable performers throughout their careers—Carlton for over 18 years with the St. Louis Cardinals and the Phillies; Ryan for 16 years with the New York Mets, the California Angels, and the Astros. And each is renowned for an overpowering pitch. For Carlton, it is a tantalizing yet unhit-table slider; for Ryan, a fastball that has been clocked at over 100 miles per hour.

In their success the two men have employed distinctive styles and have earned different reputations. Carlton, a 39-year-old left-hander who works swiftly,

is a 300-game winner who happens to have struck out more batters than anyone in the game's history.

Ryan, a 37-year-old right-hander of more deliberate pace, is, first and foremost, a strikeout pitcher. He has won 219 contests. But while Carlton has required 4,557⅓ innings to acquire his "K" rations, Ryan has amassed his total in 3,521⅓ frames. Ryan's strikeout ratio is 9.40 per nine innings, compared with Carlton's 7.33. (Johnson had a 5.33 ratio over 5,923⅓ innings; Perry a 6.18 average in 5,352 innings.) Sandy Koufax (9.28) is the only other pitcher ever to average more than a strikeout per inning.

But if Ryan is famous for his strikeouts, he is notorious for his bases on balls—a major-league-record 2,022, or 5.17 every nine frames. (Carlton has issued 1,524 walks, for a 3.01 average.) It was that lack of control

Nolan Ryan and Steve Carlton Rewrite the Record Book



that finally caused the Mets, after four seasons, to lose patience with Ryan and trade him to California in 1971. It was a deal the Mets would regret, for the following year, Ryan won 19 games and fanned 329 batters, the first of his record five 300-strikeout seasons. In 1973 he won 21 games, tossed two of his five career no-hitters, and established the single-season standard with 383 strikeouts. That was the first year the designated-hitter rule was in effect in the American League, so Ryan's whiffs were all the more extraordinary. Ryan has had more strikeouts than innings pitched in seven different seasons (Carlton did that once; Johnson never did it), and has had 150 games in which he fanned ten or more batters.



For Carlton, the 1983 season was memorable for a couple of reasons. In addition to setting the all-time strikeout mark, the left-hander became the sixteenth pitcher in major-league history and the second—after Gaylord Perry—in as many seasons to record his 300th victory. On September 23, Carlton defeated St. Louis, 6-2. The win was the eighth straight for the Phillies, who eliminated the Cardinals from the Eastern Division race and moved a step closer to their second pennant in four years.

Carlton, who suffered his 200th career loss last season, finished the year with a 15-16 record. If he can match that win total in



1984, he will advance three places, to eleventh, ahead of Charles Radbourn (308), Mickey Welch (311), and Perry (314). Carlton's ultimate target is 400 victories. If he can realize that, he will have replaced Warren Spahn (363) as the game's most successful southpaw.

Jenkins in second among active pitchers in number of victories. After winning six of 15 decisions a year ago, he raised his career total to 284. Now 40 years old and starting his 20th season, he is a long shot for 300 wins. Not yet ready for retirement and hopeful of adding to their victory totals are Seaver (273), Phil Niekro and Jim Palmer (268), and Sutton (266).

Walter Johnson's mark of 113 shutouts—38 of which were 1-0 victories—has been one of baseball's more durable standards. Certainly Carlton, with 55 shutouts, and Ryan, with 52, have no chance of breaking that. Seaver tossed two blanks last season to tie Sutton for the lead among active pitchers in that category. Each has 56.

STRIKEOUTS*(Inactive players 2000 or more)*

CARLTON, Steve, Phillies	3709
RYAN, Nolan, Astros	3677
Gaylord Perry	3534
Walter Johnson	3508
SEAVER, Tom, White Sox	3272
JENKINS, Ferguson, Cubs	3192
Bob Gibson	3117
SUTTON, Don, Brewers	3065
NIEKRO, Phil, Yankees	2912
Jim Bunning	2855
Mickey Lolich	2832
Cy Young	2812
Warren Spahn	2583
Bob Feller	2581
Tim Keefe	2533
Christy Mathewson	2511
BLYLEVEN, Bert, Indians	2499
Don Drysdale	2486
Jim Kaat	2464
Sam McDowell	2453
Luis Tiant	2416
Sandy Koufax	2396
KOOSMAN, Jerry, White Sox	2359
Robin Roberts	2357
Early Wynn	2334
Rube Waddell	2316
Juan Marichal	2303
Lefty Grove	2266
Ed Plank	2261
PALMER, Jim, Orioles	2208
Grover Alexander	2199
Camilo Pasqual	2167
Bobo Newsom	2082
Dazzy Vance	2045
John Clarkson	2015
Jim Hunter	2012
JOHN, Tommy, Angels	1983
MAY, Rudy, Yankees	1760
REUSS, Jerry, Dodgers	1587
ROGERS, Steve, Expos	1539
MATLACK, Jon	1516
TANANA, Frank, Rangers	1506
RICHARD, J.R., Astros	1493
REED, Ron, White Sox	1424
TORREZ, Mike, Mets	1386
HOOTON, Burt, Dodgers	1367
NIEKRO, Joe, Astros	1349
REUSCHEL, Rick, Cubs	1346
ECKERSLEY, Dennis, Red Sox	1259
GUIDRY, Ron, Yankees	1240
FINGERS, Rollie, Brewers	1235
LEONARD, Dennis, Royals	1208
GOLTZ, Dave	1105
MCGRAW, Tug, Phillies	1083
GOSSAGE, Rich, Padres	1076
BIBBY, Jim	1073
RUTHVEN, Dick, Cubs	1061
MONTEFUSCO, John, Yankees	1053
SPLITTORFF, Paul, Royals	1053
FORSCH, Ken, Angels	1024
SLATON, Jim, Angels	1021

GAMES WON*(Inactive players 250 or more)*

Cy Young	511
Walter Johnson	416
Grover Alexander	373
Christy Mathewson	373
Warren Spahn	363
Jim Galvin	361
Kid Nichols	360
Tim Keefe	344
Ed Plank	327
John Clarkson	326
Gaylord Perry	314
Mickey Welch	311
Charles Radbourn	308
CARLTON, Steve, Phillies	300
Lefty Grove	300
Early Wynn	300
Robin Roberts	286
Tony Mullane	285

JENKINS, Ferguson, Cubs	284
Jim Kaat	283
Red Ruffing	273
SEAVER, Tom, White Sox	273
Burleigh Grimes	270
NIEKRO, Phil, Yankees	268
PALMER, Jim, Orioles	268
Bob Feller	266
Eppa Rixey	266
SUTTON, Don, Brewers	266
Jim McCormick	264
Gus Weyhing	264
Ted Lyons	260
Red Faber	254
Carl Hubbell	253
Bob Gibson	251
JOHN, Tommy, Angels	248
RYAN, Nolan, Astros	219
KOOSMAN, Jerry, White Sox	202
TORREZ, Mike, Mets	184
NIEKRO, Joe, Astros	177
BLYLEVEN, Bert, Indians	176
REUSS, Jerry, Dodgers	173
SPLITTORFF, Paul, Royals	165
MAY, Rudy, Yankees	152
ROGERS, Steve, Expos	150
REED, Ron, White Sox	146
HOOTON, Burt, Dodgers	143
LEONARD, Dennis, Royals	136
REUSCHEL, Rick, Cubs	134
SLATON, Jim, Angels	134
CALDWELL, Mike, Brewers	131
MATLACK, Jon	125
GUIDRY, Ron, Yankees	122
ECKERSLEY, Dennis, Red Sox	120
TANANA, Frank, Rangers	120
FORSCH, Bob, Cardinals	118
ALEXANDER, Doyle, Blue Jays	115
GURA, Larry, Royals	114
FORSCH, Ken, Angels	113
RUTHVEN, Dick, Cubs	113
FINGERS, Rollie, Brewers	112
FLANAGAN, Mike, Orioles	112
BIBBY, Jim	111
CANDELARIA, John, Pirates	110
RICHARD, J.R., Astros	107
KISON, Bruce, Angels	106
BARR, Jim	101
WILCOX, Milt, Tigers	101
TIDROW, Dick, Mets	100

SHUTOUTS*(Inactive players 50 or more)*

Walter Johnson	113
Grover Alexander	90
Christy Mathewson	83
Cy Young	77
Ed Plank	70
Mordecai Brown	63
Warren Spahn	63
Ed Walsh	58
Jim Galvin	57
Bob Gibson	56
SEAVER, Tom, White Sox	56
SUTTON, Don, Brewers	56
CARLTON, Steve, Phillies	55
PALMER, Jim, Orioles	53
Gaylord Perry	53
Juan Marichal	52
RYAN, Nolan, Astros	52
Rube Waddell	50
Vic Willis	50
JENKINS, Ferguson, Cubs	49
JOHN, Tommy, Angels	44
NIEKRO, Phil, Yankees	43
BLYLEVEN, Bert, Indians	42
ROGERS, Steve, Expos	37
REUSS, Jerry, Dodgers	34
KOOSMAN, Jerry, White Sox	31
MATLACK, Jon	30
HOOTON, Burt, Dodgers	29
NIEKRO, Joe, Astros	27
TANANA, Frank, Rangers	26
MAY, Rudy, Yankees	24
GUIDRY, Ron, Yankees	23

CALDWELL, Mike, Brewers	22
LEONARD, Dennis, Royals	21
SLATON, Jim, Angels	21
BARR, Jim	20
BIBBY, Jim	19
KNEPPER, Bob, Astros	19
RICHARD, J.R., Astros	19
ECKERSLEY, Dennis, Red Sox	18
FORSCH, Ken, Angels	18
REUSCHEL, Rick, Cubs	17
RUTHVEN, Dick, Cubs	17
SPLITTORFF, Paul, Royals	17
FORSCH, Bob, Cardinals	16
GURA, Larry, Royals	16
MCGREGOR, Scott, Orioles	16
STIEB, Dave, Blue Jays	16
VALENZUELA, Fernando, Dodgers	16
DENNY, John, Phillies	15
FLANAGAN, Mike, Orioles	15
TORREZ, Mike, Mets	15

BASES ON BALLS*(Inactive players 1200 or more)*

RYAN, Nolan, Astros	2022
Early Wynn	1775
Bob Feller	1764
Bobo Newsom	1732
Amos Rusie	1716
Gus Weyhing	1566
Red Ruffing	1541
CARLTON, Steve, Phillies	1524
NIEKRO, Phil, Yankees	1452
Bump Hadley	1442
Warren Spahn	1434
Earl Whitehill	1431
Tony Mullane	1409
Walter Johnson	1405
Sam Jones	1396
Gaylord Perry	1379
TORREZ, Mike, Mets	1350
Bob Gibson	1336
Chick Fraser	1332
Sam McDowell	1312
Mark Baldwin	1307
Adonis Terry	1301
Mickey Welch	1297
Burleigh Grimes	1295
PALMER, Jim, Orioles	1294
Kid Nichols	1282
Joe Bush	1263
Allie Reynolds	1261
Bob Lemon	1251
Hal Newhouser	1249
George Mullin	1238
Tim Keefe	1231
Cy Young	1217
Red Faber	1213
Vic Willis	1212
SEAVER, Tom, White Sox	1204
Ted Breitenstein	1203
SUTTON, Don, Brewers	1113
KOOSMAN, Jerry, White Sox	1104
JOHN, Tommy, Angels	1045
JENKINS, Ferguson, Cubs	997
MAY, Rudy, Yankees	958
NIEKRO, Joe, Astros	930
REUSS, Jerry, Dodgers	912
BLYLEVEN, Bert, Indians	865
SLATON, Jim, Angels	845
ROGERS, Steve, Expos	778
RICHARD, J.R., Astros	770
SPLITTORFF, Paul, Royals	770
HOOTON, Burt, Dodgers	716
BIBBY, Jim	713
RUTHVEN, Dick, Cubs	683
WILCOX, Milt, Tigers	662
CURTIS, John, Angels	658
HOUGH, Charlie, Rangers	652
GOLTZ, Dave	646
ALEXANDER, Doyle, Blue Jays	640
MATLACK, Jon	638
UNDERWOOD, Tom	631
REED, Ron, White Sox	619
FALCONE, Pete, Braves	614
DENNY, John, Phillies	610



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● Al Oliver had another average year in 1983. Average for him, that is, for whom impressive statistics have become common, but exceptional for most other hitters. He played in all but five of the Montreal Expos' games and batted .300 for the eighth straight season. He scored 70 runs and had 84 RBIs, the seventh time he has recorded those numbers in the same year. He also collected 184 hits, the most prominent of which came off the New York Mets' Carlos Diaz on August 10. It was the 2,500th in Oliver's big-league tenure.

The left-handed-hitting first baseman began his career with the Pittsburgh Pirates in 1968. Traded in 1978 to the Texas Rangers, he spent four years there before returning to the National League with Montreal.

What is remarkable about Oliver is that at age 37, he shows no sign of slowing down. Over the last six seasons he has compiled a .318 bat mark with an average of 176 hits per year. (Throw out the strike-shortened '81 season and the average becomes 185 hits.) He enjoyed his most productive effort in 1982 when he captured his first batting title and led the league in RBIs (with Atlanta's Dale Murphy), hits, doubles, and total bases. Oliver enters the 1984 campaign with 2,546 hits, and is on target for 3,000 sometime in 1986.

Five players collected their 2,000th hit last year. They are: Ted Simmons (2116) of the Milwaukee Brewers; Steve Garvey (2082), whose National League consecutive-game streak ended at 1,207, of the San Diego Padres; Larry Bowa (2054) of the Chicago Cubs; Johnny Bench (2048), who retired after 17 seasons with the Cincinnati Reds; and Amos Otis (2004), who was released by the Kansas City Royals last September.

Pete Rose (3990) is still No. 2 on the hit list. He added 121 hits in 1983 to come within 201 of Ty Cobb (4191). But Rose will continue his quest of the game's all-time leader in a new uniform this year, having been released by the Philadelphia Phillies after the World Series. California's Rod Carew batted over .300 (.339) for the fifteenth consecutive year. His 160 hits pushed his career total to 2,832, so in 1984 he could become the sixteenth player to reach 3,000. Rusty Staub had a superb season in a limited role with the New York Mets. En route to tying a couple of pinch-hit marks, Staub added 34 hits, giving him 2,685 in over 20 years on the job. Tony Perez, also with two decades of service in the major leagues, banged out 61 hits for the pennant-winning Phils and raised his total to 2,588. Carl Yastrzemski had 101 hits in his farewell season in Boston. He retired with 3,419, and only six players in baseball history had more.

Yaz drove in 56 runs in '83. In doing so he brought his total to 1,844 and advanced three places, to ninth, overtaking Frank Robinson, Al Simmons, and Ted Williams. Perez

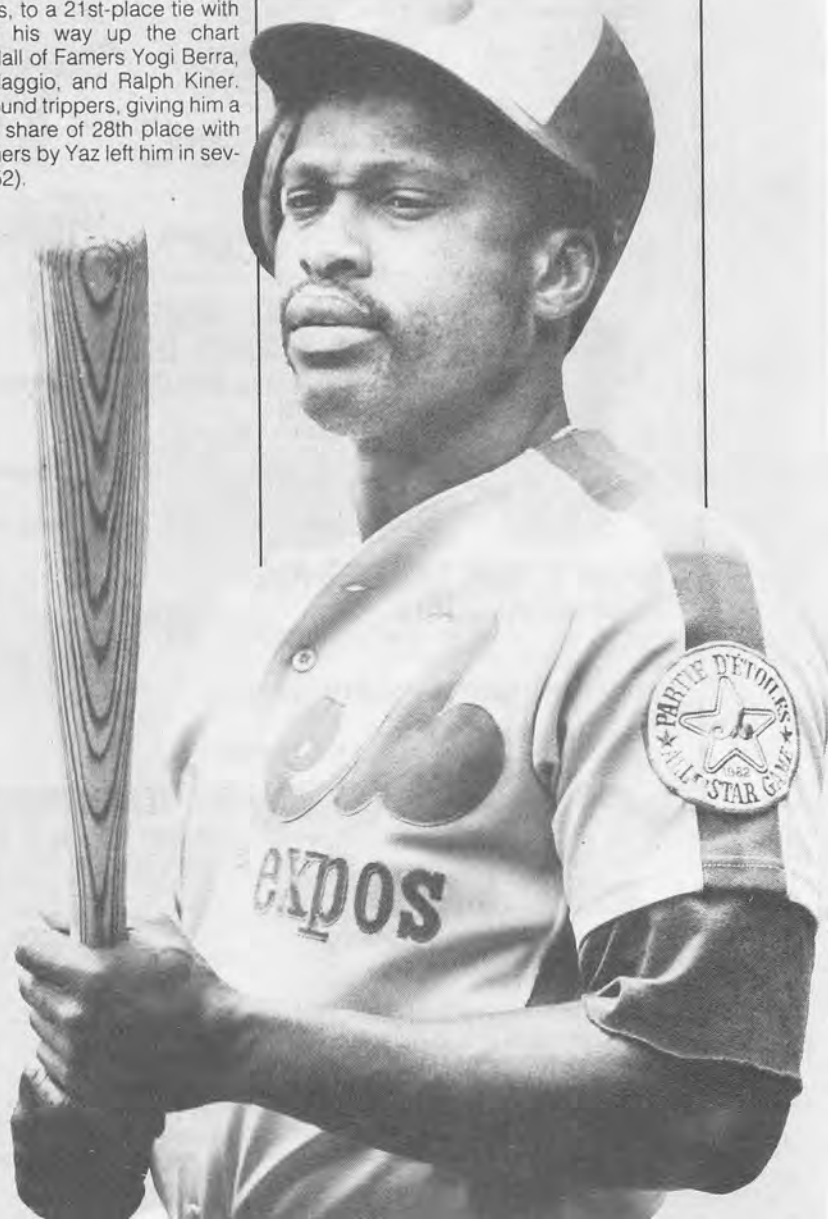
heads the active list in RBIs. He had 43 a year ago to pass Joe DiMaggio, Willie Stargell, Harry Heilmann, Willie McCovey, and Tris Speaker and tie Jake Beckley (1575) for 21st place in the all-time rankings. Staub's 28 ribbies raised his figure to 1,440. Reggie Jackson, a fallen Angel whose RBI output last season was a career-low 49, has 1,435 for his 16 years in the big leagues.

Reggie didn't get a chance to do his Mr. October impersonation last fall—California finished fifth in the Western Division—but, surprise, the American League won the World Series without him for the first time since 1970. Jackson did hit 14 home runs to retain the top position (with 478) among active sluggers. And he moved up two places, to fourteenth, in the process, ahead of Stargell and Stan Musial. Lou Gehrig, with 493, is Reggie's next target. Philadelphia's Mike Schmidt belted 40 homers last season to advance 12 places, to a 21st-place tie with Bench (389). On his way up the chart Schmidt passed Hall of Famers Yogi Berra, Johnny Mize, DiMaggio, and Ralph Kiner. Perez added six round trippers, giving him a total of 369 and a share of 28th place with Kiner. The ten homers by Yaz left him in seventeenth place (452).

HITS

(Inactive players 2800 or more)

Ty Cobb	4191
ROSE, Pete, Expos	3990
Hank Aaron	3771
Stan Musial	3630
Tris Speaker	3515
Honus Wagner	3430
Carl Yastrzemski	3419
Eddie Collins	3311
Willie Mays	3283
Nap Lajoie	3251
Paul Waner	3152
Cap Anson	3081
Lou Brock	3023
Al Kaline	3007
Roberto Clemente	3000
Sam Rice	2987
Sam Crawford	2964
Willie Keeler	2962



HITTING RECORDS

Frank Robinson	2943	Ed Mathews	512	Mel Ott	1860
Jake Beckley	2930	Mel Ott	511	Carl Yastrzemski	1844
Rogers Hornsby	2930	Lou Gehrig	493	Ted Williams	1839
Al Simmons	2927	JACKSON, Reggie, Angels	478	Al Simmons	1827
Zack Wheat	2884	Stan Musial	475	Frank Robinson	1812
Frank Frisch	2880	Willie Stargell	475	Honus Wagner	1732
Mel Ott	2876	Carl Yastrzemski	452	Cap Anson	1715
Jesse Burkett	2874	Billy Williams	426	Ernie Banks	1636
Babe Ruth	2873	Duke Snider	407	Goose Goslin	1609
Brooks Robinson	2848	Al Kaline	399	Nap Lajoie	1599
Charlie Gehringer	2839	Johnny Bench	389	Rogers Hornsby	1584
CAREW, Rod, Angels	2832	SCHMIDT, Mike, Phillies	389	Harmon Killebrew	1584
George Sisler	2812	Frank Howard	382	Al Kaline	1583
STAUB, Rusty, Mets	2685	Orlando Cepeda	379	Jake Beckley	1575
PEREZ, Tony, Reds	2588	Norm Cash	377	PEREZ, Tony, Reds	1575
OLIVER, Al, Expos	2546	Rocky Colavito	374	Tris Speaker	1559
MORGAN, Joe, Athletics	2428	Gil Hodges	370	Willie McCovey	1555
JACKSON, Reggie, Angels	2176	Ralph Kiner	369	Harry Heilmann	1551
SIMMONS, Ted, Brewers	2116	PEREZ, Tony, Reds	369	Willie Stargell	1540
GARVEY, Steve, Padres	2082	Joe DiMaggio	361	Joe DiMaggio	1537
BOWA, Larry, Cubs	2054	Johnny Mize	359	Sam Crawford	1525
OTIS, Amos, Pirates	2004	Yogi Berra	358	Mickey Mantle	1509
BUCKNER, Bill, Cubs	1964	Lee May	354	STAUB, Rusty, Mets	1440
SINGLETON, Ken, Orioles	1951	Dick Allen	351	JACKSON, Reggie, Angels	1435
CHAMBLISS, Chris, Braves	1931	KINGMAN, Dave	342	OLIVER, Al, Expos	1247
NETTLES, Graig, Yankees	1890	Ron Santo	342	ROSE, Pete, Expos	1209
CEDENO, Cesar, Reds	1878	Boog Powell	339	SIMMONS, Ted, Brewers	1195
CONCEPCION, Dave, Reds	1846	Joe Adcock	336	MORGAN, Joe, Athletics	1090
McRAE, Hal, Royals	1832	NETTLES, Graig, Yankees	333	NETTLES, Graig, Yankees	1086
BELL, Buddy, Rangers	1813	Bobby Bonds	332	SCHMIDT, Mike, Phillies	1074
WATSON, Bob, Braves	1808	Hank Greenberg	331	LUZINSKI, Greg, White Sox	1070
BAKER, Dusty, Dodgers	1760	Willie Horton	325	GARVEY, Steve, Padres	1051
RUSSELL, Bill, Dodgers	1758	Roy Sievers	318	FOSTER, George, Mets	1034
HARRAH, Toby, Yankees	1729	Reggie Smith	314	SINGLETON, Ken, Orioles	1029
LUZINSKI, Greg, White Sox	1697	Al Simmons	307	OTIS, Amos, Pirates	997
MADDOX, Garry, Phillies	1679	Rogers Hornsby	301	WATSON, Bob, Braves	977
PINIELLA, Lou, Yankees	1679	Chuck Klein	300	RICE, Jim, Red Sox	954
BRETT, George, Royals	1676	LUZINSKI, Greg, White Sox	294	CAREW, Rod, Angels	945
CRUZ, Jose, Astros	1664	STAUB, Rusty, Mets	290	McRAE, Hal, Royals	939
MATTHEWS, Gary, Phillies	1663	FOSTER, George, Mets	289	CEY, Ron, Cubs	932
HENDRICK, George, Cardinals	1647	RICE, Jim, Red Sox	276	HENDRICK, George, Cardinals	920
HEBNER, Richie, Cubs	1641	EVANS, Darrell, Tigers	262	WINFIELD, Dave, Yankees	916
COOPER, Cecil, Brewers	1639	MORGAN, Joe, Athletics	262	BAKER, Dusty, Dodgers	910
MONEY, Don, Brewers	1623	CEY, Ron, Cubs	252	EVANS, Darrell, Tigers	910
RICE, Jim, Red Sox	1620	MONDAY, Rick, Dodgers	240	KINGMAN, Dave	907
MONDAY, Rick, Dodgers	1610	SINGLETON, Ken, Orioles	240	BAYLOR, Don, Yankees	905
EVANS, Darrell, Tigers	1607	WINFIELD, Dave, Yankees	236	CHAMBLISS, Chris, Braves	893
BAYLOR, Don, Yankees	1604	BAYLOR, Don, Yankees	234	CEDENO, Cesar, Reds	874
FOSTER, George, Mets	1593	BURROUGHS, Jeff, Athletics	232	HEBNER, Richie, Cubs	860
RODRIGUEZ, Aurelio, White Sox	1570	HENDRICK, George, Cardinals	232	COOPER, Cecil, Brewers	848
WINFIELD, Dave, Yankees	1568	GARVEY, Steve, Padres	225	BURROUGHS, Jeff, Athletics	846
RIVERS, Mickey, Rangers	1566	SIMMONS, Ted, Brewers	222	HARRAH, Toby, Yankees	807
MADLOCK, Bill, Pirates	1557	BAKER, Dusty, Dodgers	221	BRETT, George, Royals	796
YOUNT, Robin, Brewers	1546	THOMAS, Gorman, Mariners	219	ZISK, Richie, Mariners	792
GRICH, Bobby, Angels	1540	OLIVER, Al, Expos	214	BUCKNER, Bill, Cubs	791
CEY, Ron, Cubs	1538	FISK, Carlton, White Sox	209	MATTHEWS, Gary, Phillies	787
SPEIER, Chris, Expos	1503	OGLIVIE, Ben, Brewers	208	CRUZ, Jose, Astros	786
		ZISK, Richie, Mariners	207	CONCEPCION, Dave, Reds	773
		EVANS, Dwight, Red Sox	204	BELL, Buddy, Rangers	768
		TENACE, Gene, Pirates	201	MONDAY, Rick, Dodgers	768
		HEBNER, Richie, Cubs	198	FISK, Carlton, White Sox	764
		MURRAY, Eddie, Orioles	198	PINIELLA, Lou, Yankees	760
		COOPER, Cecil, Brewers	196	PARKER, Dave, Reds	758
		OTIS, Amos, Pirates	193	MONEY, Don, Brewers	729
				OGLIVIE, Ben, Brewers	727
				GRICH, Bobby, Angels	723
				LYNN, Fred, Angels	712
				MADDOX, Garry, Phillies	711

HOME RUNS

(Inactive players 300 or more)

Hank Aaron	755
Babe Ruth	714
Willie Mays	660
Frank Robinson	586
Harmon Killebrew	573
Mickey Mantle	536
Jimmie Foxx	534
Willie McCovey	521
Ted Williams	521
Ernie Banks	512

RUNS BATTED IN

(Inactive players 1500 or more)

Hank Aaron	2297
Babe Ruth	2204
Lou Gehrig	1990
Ty Cobb	1959
Stan Musial	1951
Jimmie Foxx	1921
Willie Mays	1903

ACTIVE PLAYERS IN CAPS

● Dan Quisenberry of the Kansas City Royals was the American League Fireman of the Year in 1983. The 30-year-old right-hander with the submarine-style delivery—"I'm always coming from down under," he joked—broke John Hiller's major-league record with 45 saves. He added five wins in relief and, so, had a hand in 63 percent of his team's 79 victories.

"I don't think there's a guy in the game who has done what Quis has accomplished in the last couple of years," said Royals' manager Dick Howser. "Right now he's the best in baseball, and when everything is added up, maybe he will be the best ever."

Quisenberry, who has more saves (131) than any reliever over the past four seasons, admitted that setting the record was a thrill—"I took my hat off and everything"—but regretted that his efforts didn't change Kansas City's place in the standings. (The Royals finished second, 20 games out.)

The Boston Red Sox also had a dismal season, finishing below .500 for the first time in 16 years. But don't blame Bob Stanley, The big right-hander was again baseball's busiest fireman. He pitched 145½ innings in 1983, won eight games, and set a club mark with 33 saves.

Smith



Holland



The Philadelphia Phillies' Al Holland, with 25 saves and eight wins in relief, and the Chicago Cubs' Lee Smith, with 29 saves and four relief wins, shared Fireman honors in the National League. Holland, acquired from the San Francisco Giants prior to the 1983 season, recorded nine of his saves in September and helped the Phils win the Eastern Division title.

The St. Louis Cardinals' Bruce Sutter, 1982's top reliever, had 21 saves and nine wins out of the bullpen to share the runner-up spot in the N.L. with Jesse Orosco (17 saves, 13 wins) of the New York Mets.

FIREMEN OF THE YEAR

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W*	S	Total
Dan Quisenberry, Royals	5	45	50
Bob Stanley, Red Sox	8	33	41
Ron Davis, Twins	5	30	35
Rich Gossage, Yankees	13	22	35
Tippy Martinez, Orioles	9	21	30
Bill Caudill, Mariners	2	26	28
Peter Ladd, Brewers	3	25	28
Aurelio Lopez, Tigers	9	18	27
Dennis Lamp, White Sox	4	15	19
Jim Slaton, Brewers	14	5	19
Luis Sanchez, Angels	10	7	17
Tom Tellmann, Brewers	9	8	17
Joey McLaughlin, Blue Jays	7	9	16
Randy Moffitt, Blue Jays	6	10	16
Sammy Stewart, Orioles	9	7	16
Salome Barojas, White Sox	3	12	15
Dave Beard, Athletics	5	10	15
Roy Lee Jackson, Blue Jays	8	7	15
Mike Armstrong, Royals	10	3	13
Odell Jones, Rangers	3	10	13
Tim Stoddard, Orioles	4	9	13
George Frazier, Yankees	4	8	12
Neal Heaton, Indians	4	7	11
Dave Tobik, Rangers	2	9	11

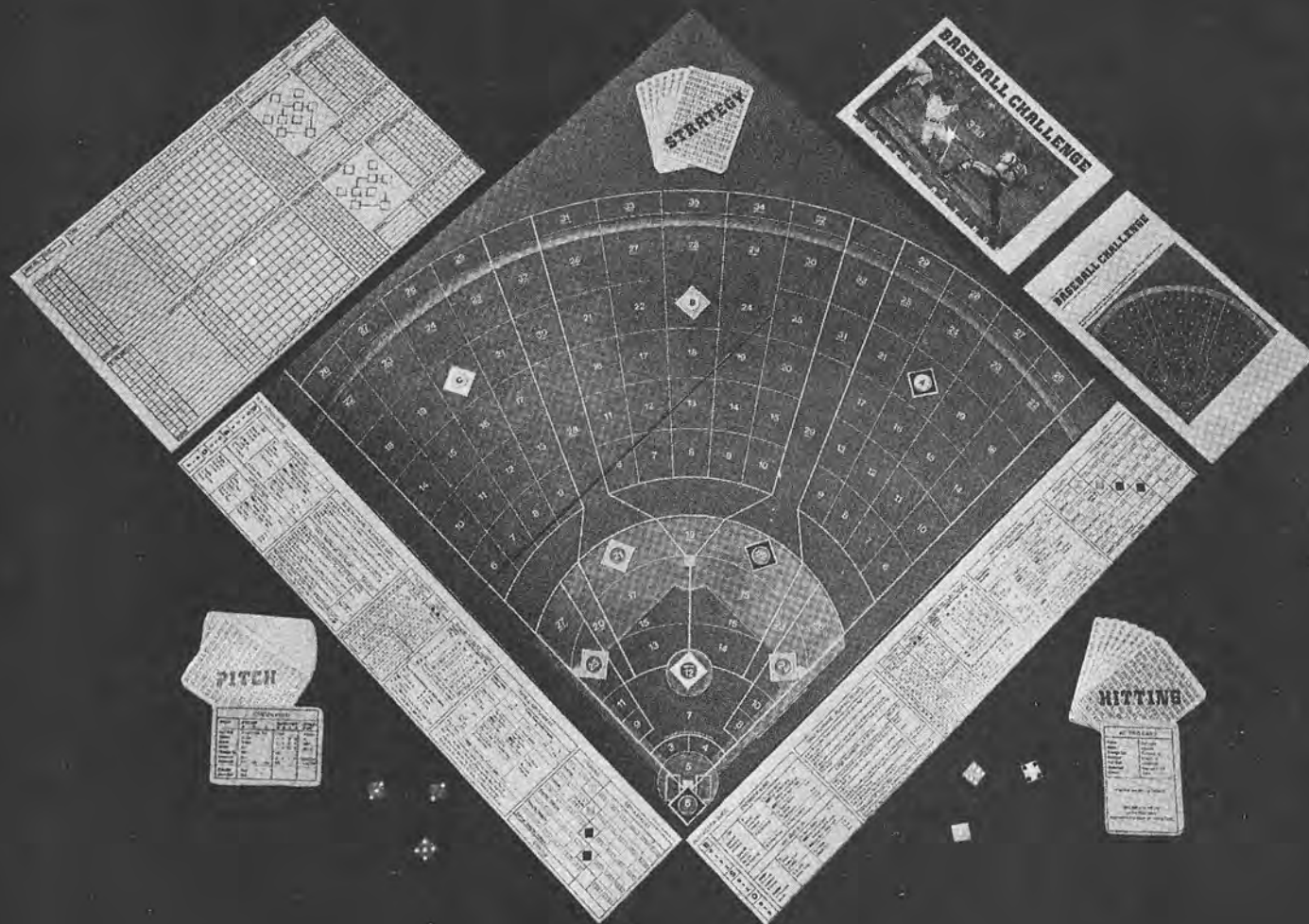
NATIONAL LEAGUE

Al Holland, Phillies	8	25	33
Lee Smith, Cubs	4	29	33
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RUSTY STAUB:

THE THINKING MAN'S HITTER

The player remembers. It was the late 1960s—he'd been in the big time only a few seasons—when the remarks began to be made behind his back. The thrust of what the doubters said about him was that Daniel Joseph (Rusty) Staub was not long for the world of major-league baseball.

"People were predicting," recalls Staub, "that my career would be a short one. They said that here was a big guy—Staub is 6 feet, 235 pounds—who was bound to get too big and eventually wouldn't be able to run the way a big-leaguer should. Plus, with my ankles and feet, which had been injured, they felt I just wouldn't last long."

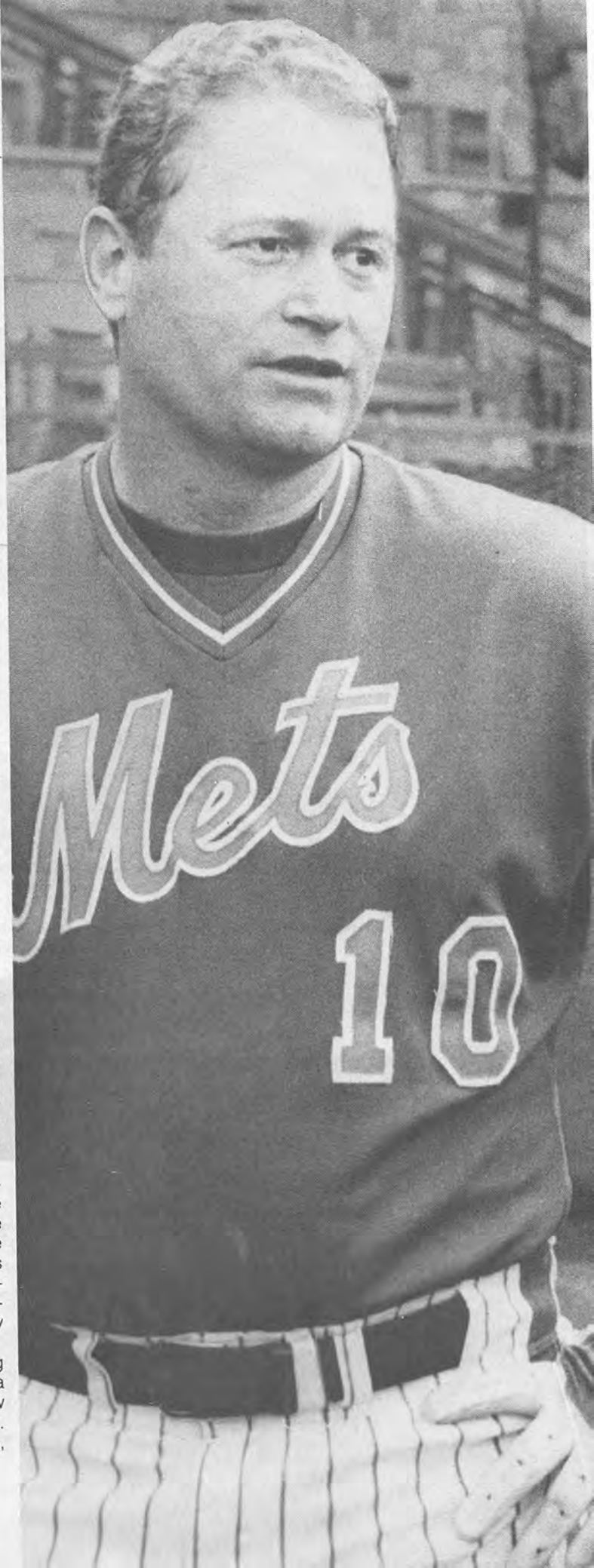
The critics, it turned out, were wrong. Staub in 1984, on the verge of his 21st season, is still doing what he always has, bashing baseballs through infields and, at age 39, refuting those prophecies of a short-lived career. For he is a man who long ago decided that there was more to hitting a baseball than just relying on reflexes, as many hitters do. By studying his business, Staub has become a thinking man's hitter, who succeeds as much by outwitting a pitcher as by his smooth left-handed swing. He presumes, as few hitters can, to know what pitch is about to be dished up.

It was that kind of savvy that lay behind what Staub managed last June for the New York Mets. Even in a pinch-hitter's role, Staub showed that he could do damage. His early-season pinch-hitting tear unfolded like this:

June 11two-run double vs. Montreal
June 12two-run double vs. Montreal
June 13single vs. Chicago
June 14GW-RBI single vs. Chicago
June 18single vs. Montreal
June 19home run vs. Montreal
June 20 (2nd game)single vs. St. Louis
June 26 (1st game)single vs. Philadelphia

When the dust had settled, Staub had tied the single-season record of eight consecutive pinch hits set by Dave Philley in 1958. (Philley extended the overall record to nine with a hit in his first pinch-hit appearance in 1959.) After the streak ended at eight games, Staub continued to get results as a pinch hitter. He finished 1983 with 24 pinch hits in 81 at-bats (a .296 PH average) and tied the major-league single-season record for RBIs by a pinch hitter (25) that was jointly held by Jerry Lynch and Joe Cronin.

Staub's proficiency coming off the bench was in keeping with what he had done during the many years he was a regular. Wherever he has played—Houston, Montreal, New York, Detroit, and Texas—Staub has hit the baseball. Through the 1983 season, he had 2,685 hits, 290 home runs, 1,255 RBIs, and a lifetime batting average of .280.



By Phil Berger

He also had the respect of his peers. When he got his record-tying eighth consecutive pinch hit last June, it came against Philadelphia's Ron Reed. Once play was stopped, Reed requested the ball from second-base umpire Billy Williams. He then presented the ball to Staub and tipped his cap to his achievement.

In a manner of speaking, so do other baseball people tip their caps to Staub.

Said Jim Frey, a former Mets' coach who will manage the Chicago Cubs this year: "Rusty Staub is more prepared to go up and get a base hit than anybody I've seen. He studies the pitchers. And then he uses what he sees. He can pick pitches—that is, he knows by the pitcher's delivery whether it's a fastball or breaking pitch. He can do that better than anyone I've seen. A lotta guys talk about it, but he's one of the few who really does it.

"I'm not going to tell you names of pitchers and what they do that tips off Rusty to their pitches. But as a generalization, let me say this. Everybody knows stories—a pitcher sticks his tongue out on a certain pitch, or opens his mouth. Those

are things a pitching coach can correct. But Rusty catches the subtle things. For example, he can tell a pitch sometimes by the way a fella takes the ball out of his glove—one way fastball, another way breaking ball—or by the way he sticks it in the glove."

Bud Harrelson, former Mets' shortstop: "Rusty is fundamentally sound. He has a short, quick swing. He uses a long, heavy bat that he chokes up on. And he works and works on a daily basis. He watches the pitchers while the game is going on, so that when he comes to bat, he's made decisions on what his approach is. His swing varies. In a certain situation, he won't try to pull the ball. Say a fastball pitcher. He'll take it to the opposite field. Whatever it takes. Some guys have just one swing. Dave Kingman has one swing. He doesn't change. He won't change. Most good hitters use the whole field and are willing and able to change their swing.

"Rusty always has a purpose with what he does. Even in batting practice. Like his first time in the batting cage, he knows he's not loose. So rather than [get] into bad habits, he just tries to meet the ball and hit it to the opposite field. Once he gets loose, he brings the bat around and pulls the ball."

For Staub, the intricacies of the batter-pitcher confrontation remain a challenge. He has not lost his pleasure in analyzing a hurler's likeliest pitch. A friend of Staub's, songwriter Terry Cashman—he wrote "Talkin' Baseball"—watched the telecast of the 1979 Pittsburgh-Baltimore World Series with him, and Cashman remembers Staub calling ten straight pitches correctly before each one was thrown. "And he's still doing that," says Cashman. During the eight-game pinch-hitting streak, after he beat the Cubs with a single off Lee Smith, Staub told me, "I knew he'd go outside. Because I'd had two hits on inside pitches the last time I faced him." He'd guessed, based on all his years of experience. And sure enough, it was an outside pitch and he went to left field with it for the ball game."

Staub does not focus exclusively on the pitcher during a game. He takes a wider view. "You think about a lot of things," he says. "Who the catcher is and how he operates. Same for the umpire. One umpire may give you a certain pitch, another won't. You think about the game situation too. With a certain pitcher, or a certain count, you concede things. You don't look to go for the bleachers.

"You've gotta be ready when you step into the batter's box. Earlier in my career, when I was playing at Montreal [1969-71], sometimes I needed to get the adrenalin going. This may sound strange, but I'd have my teammates slap me in the face. That's right. Slap me in the face. It got to be a joke. Teammates askin', 'Can I do it? Can I slap you today?' I'd tell 'em, 'I don't need it today.' But when I felt I wasn't as intense as I needed to be, I'd sometimes get that slap."

Staub needs no jolt to get him going away from the playing field. With residences in Houston and New York, and business interests in both places as well, he is rarely at a standstill, in season or out. Staub has real estate holdings, restaurants, an American Express commercial, and, of course, the obligatory deal or two in the works. When in New York, he's up at dawn twice a week to visit the Fulton Fish Market to stock seafood for his restaurants. And there's an offseason conditioning regimen that has him running daily and working out on Nautilus machines three days a week. It is a go-getter's pace, but Staub stays with it.

That impulse—to be more than Baseball Rusty—sets him apart in the somewhat provincial world of his sport. While at Houston, Staub was one of the few major-league players who declined to play the Sunday designated as a national day of

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Rusty Staub has been producing big hits for 20 years in the major leagues, starting with his first team, the Houston Colt .45s, and continuing with his current employer, the New York Mets, for whom he set several pinch-hit records last year.



RUSTY STAUB *continued*

mourning after Robert Kennedy was shot. He was fined for it by team management. In Montreal, he took French lessons, the better to communicate with Expo fans and the French-Canadian community. The people responded. *Le Grand Orange*, they called him. The Big Red-Head.

Staub has had a gourmand's interest in cooking since his early years in the major leagues. "I started cooking," he says, "out of necessity. Because when I got to the big leagues, it got to be difficult to be alone. So I'd cook for myself, and then sometimes I'd do it for friends. I can remember a Christmas party I threw in my third or fourth year in Houston. Sixty people. I did all the cooking. And I remember the way people looked at me. A look that said, 'He's not just a jock.' Anyway, that's how it developed. And, after a certain point, I became interested enough in cooking that when I'd eat out, I'd go back into the kitchens to meet the chefs and talk with them. Eventually, I began to work with some of them in the offseason. Up at 9 A.M., work with them at prepping the meal. All the while taking notes."

For Staub, the great days and nights of his life have been mostly on the baseball diamond. And it started early with him. "Back in New Orleans," says Staub, "I had a bat in my hands from the time I was two. That was when my father, Ray, who was a high school teacher, had bats made for my brother Chuck and me in the school's wood shop. Years later, playing for Jesuit High School in New Orleans, Staub was rated a hot prospect and was pursued by many teams. Ted Williams spoke to him on behalf of the Red Sox. But Staub chose to go with the expansion Houston club—then known as the Colt .45s (and later as the Astros). He signed a bonus

deal with Houston that, he says, was worth \$132,000—

\$8,000 of which was for playing for Durham, N.C.,

in the Carolina League in 1962.

The following year, Houston brought him up to the big time. He was not ready.

He batted only .224 in 1963, his rookie year.

And when he got off to a slow start in '64, Houston farmed him out to

Oklahoma City. Back in Houston the next season, he began to change his hitting style. Originally,

he had batted out of an upright stance, gripping the bat down at the end. Soon, though, he was standing bent-kneed and, choking up on the wood, was stroking the ball to all fields. At Houston, his batting average rose—.256 in '65, .280 in '66, .333 in '67.

It was not just the numbers that impressed baseball people. They saw the savvy that had produced those numbers, and it was rare enough, apparently, to provoke comment. Said Philadelphia manager Gene Mauch at the time: "That boy [Staub] made himself into a hitter, and he did one hell of a job." Soon after, Mauch became manager of the Expos, and on Jan. 22, 1969, Staub went to Montreal for Donn Clendenon and Jesus Alou, in what became a seven-player swap when Clendenon refused to report to the Astros.

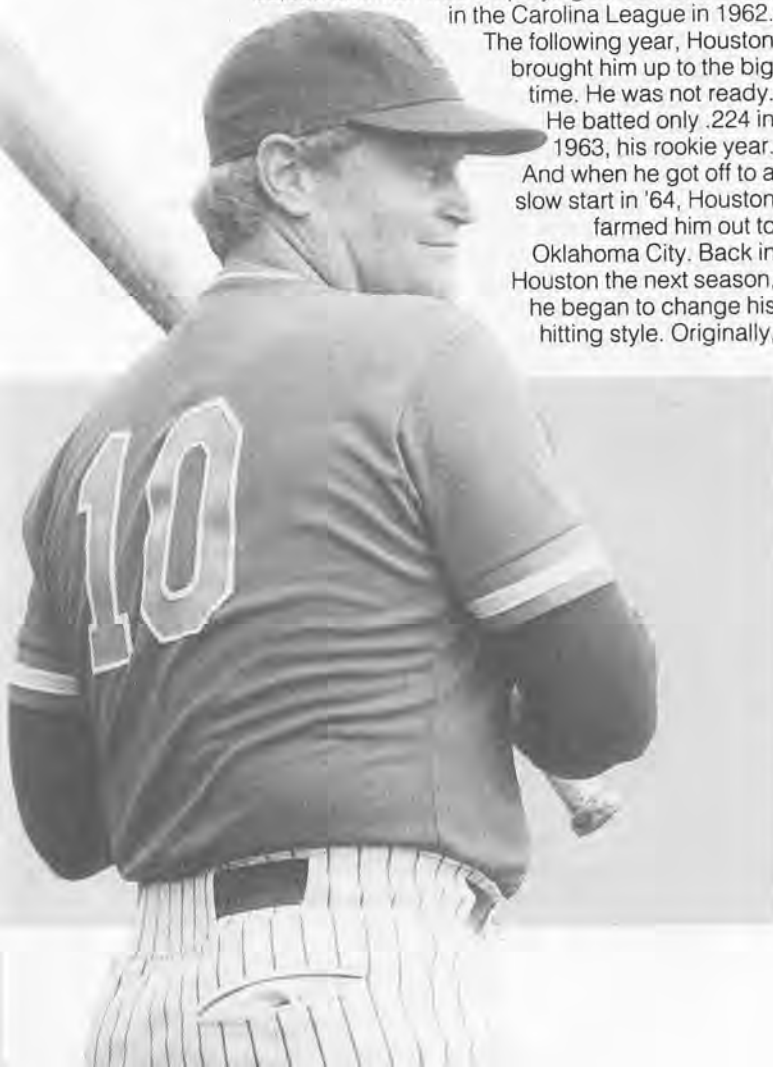
"Gene Mauch taught me the most about hitting of all the people I've come across in baseball," says Staub. "He filled me with ideas, and I responded to him. In that ballpark in Montreal, it was felt that I could hit a lotta home runs if I'd alter my stroke. Gene felt I could do it. And he worked on it with me. He'd throw batting practice. I never hit more home runs than I did at Montreal—29 in 1969 [while batting .302] and 30 in 1970 [while batting .274]." In his final season with the Expos, 1971, Staub batted .311, with 19 home runs and 97 RBIs. "But Montreal," says Staub, "which was an expansion team, needed players, needed depth, and [New York Mets' manager] Gil Hodges wanted me in New York." On April 6, 1972, Staub was traded to the Mets for infielders Mike Jorgensen and Tim Foli and outfielder Ken Singleton.

Hodges died shortly before the deal was concluded. Playing for his successor, Yogi Berra, Staub got off to a fast start. By early June, he had nine home runs and a .301 batting average. Then, on June 3, Staub was hit on the hand by a pitch. After three weeks of doctors' examinations, the problem was finally disclosed: a break in the hamate bone of his hand. He didn't play again until mid-September, missing 60 percent of the season.

The following campaign made up for the disappointment of 1972. In '73, Staub batted .279, the Mets won the National League pennant, and Rusty overcame a late-season injury to provide the Mets with World Series heroics. In the earlier league playoffs, Staub had badly bruised his right shoulder. Yet in the fourth game of the Oakland-New York Series, Staub went four-for-four, including a three-run home run and a two-run single.

That was a decade ago. In the years since—at Detroit (1976-79), Montreal (part of 1979), Texas (1980), and again with the Mets (since 1981)—Staub has continued to produce big hits. With the Tigers, he had 101 RBIs in 1977 and 121 in 1978. He batted .300 for the Rangers in 109 games in 1980. Ahead lies the twilight of a career that Staub says he would just as soon finish with the Mets. That may come as a surprise, given how close Staub is to the lifetime 3,000-hit mark, a number that would become more reachable if he were to move to the American League and draw wages as a designated hitter. He has resisted the opportunity. "The Mets," he says, "are ready to turn the corner. The talent is there. With the mixture we have, I really think we'll shock people. I'd like to be here when we're winning."

With the Mets, Staub is much admired for the way he has accepted his part-time role. "Say this about Rusty Staub," comments Frey, "he's the total pro in his approach to baseball. Last year, by mid-season we were floundering. But this guy, in team meetings, kept pointing out things about the opposition or the ump. He'd talk to the pitchers about the pitches they were giving away. He'd talk to the young hitters about the other clubs' pitchers. This guy was really into the game. Like I say, total pro."



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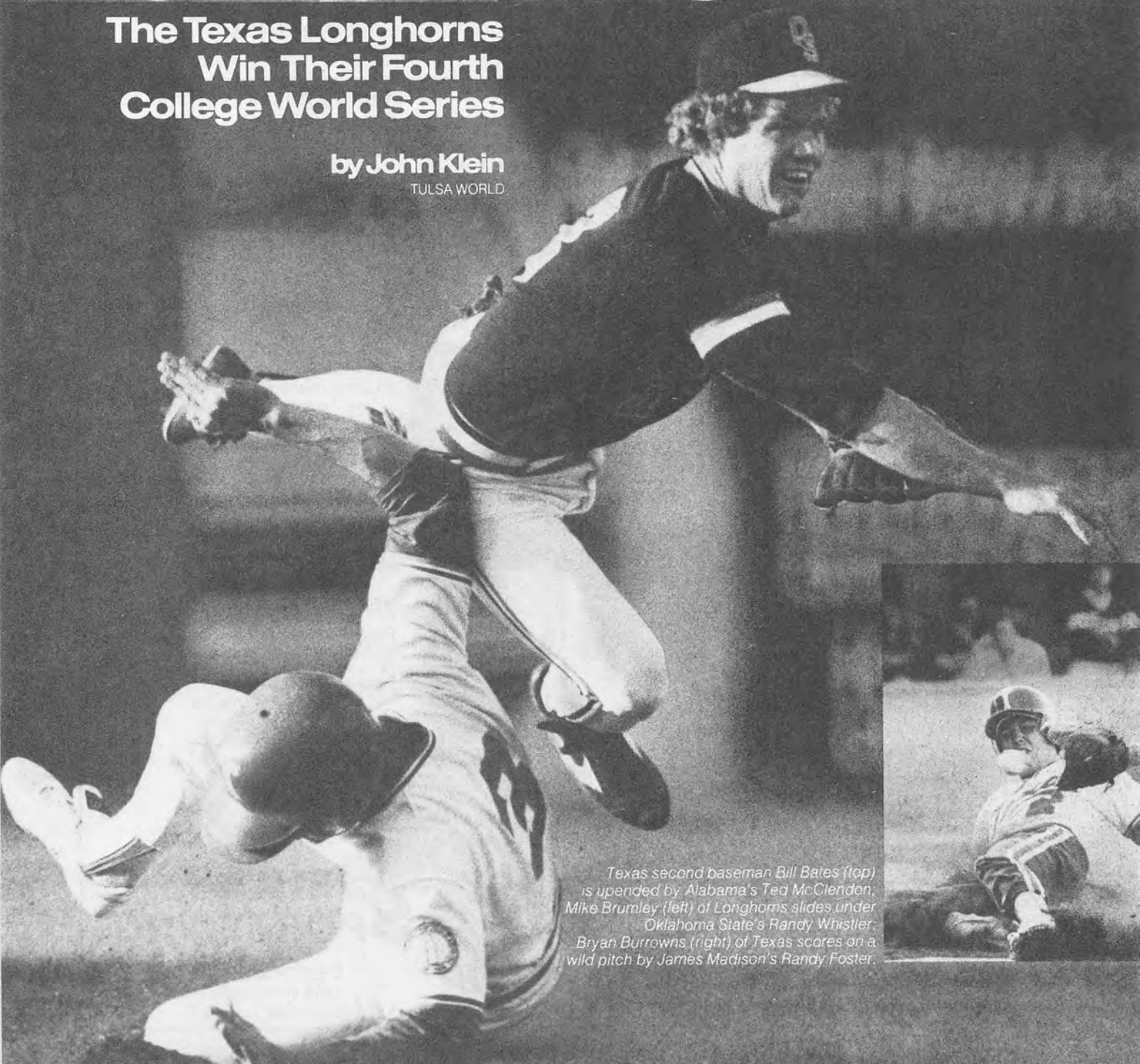
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COLLEGE BASEBALL

The Texas Longhorns Win Their Fourth College World Series

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Texas second baseman Bill Bates (top) is upended by Alabama's Ted McClendon. Mike Brumley (left) of Longhorns slides under Oklahoma State's Randy Whistler. Bryan Burrows (right) of Texas scores on a wild pitch by James Madison's Randy Foster.



● Everyone knew, even before the 1983 season began, that the University of Texas was going to win the College World Series. So it came as no surprise when the Longhorns scored a 4-3 come-from-behind victory over a surprising Alabama team in the NCAA finals last June. But at times during the season, it seemed the Longhorns were trying to convince their supporters that they either could not or would not win a fourth national title.

They played erratically at the start, then finished the regular season poorly and limped into the Southwest Conference tournament, where the Longhorns were extended to a second finals game before they finally ousted Arkansas in a 14-0 rout. Then they lost a second-round game to Mississippi State in the NCAA Central Regional in Austin. They needed four straight victories just to get to the College World Series. They got them.

Every time someone was ready to count them out, the Horns rallied under coach Cliff Gustafson. This was a team anchored by a talented and deep pitching staff. The Longhorns had little power and were just average at the plate. There was no set lineup, particularly in the outfield. And unlike any Gustafson team before, there was unrest.

"It tells you a little something about this team when you realize the winning run (in the CWS finals) came on a drag bunt by our cleanup hitter (Jose Tolentino)," said Gustafson, who won his second national title in his sixteenth year at UT. "Truthfully, the talent on this team wasn't as good as [that on] some of the others we've brought to Omaha. That's what makes this one so sweet."

This team probably fit Gustafson's style of play better than any of his previous 15 teams at UT. Over the years the coach went about building Longhorn teams around pitching, defense, running, bunting, comebacks, and, most of all, opportunity—all the elements which have come to be known as "Gus Ball."

Gustafson is an interesting mixture of baseball coach, philosopher, and father to hundreds of athletes who have played for him. He has used his down-home approach to human nature to put together the finest record in college coaching over the past two decades. His teams have won 83 percent of their games, two national championships (the other in 1975), and 15 Southwest Conference titles.



Gustafson likes pickup trucks, chewing tobacco, and spinning yarns with his friends. Most of all, he likes Austin. He once said that he would like to be a major-league manager, but only under a few provisions. First, there would have to be a team in Austin. Second, all the games would have to be played at home. "I like Austin," he explains. "You oughta do what you like, shouldn't you?"

Only once during all that time at Austin has Gus ever had a player stand up and challenge his authority. As fate would have it, it was during the spring of the 1983 national championship season. And the player was shortstop Mike Brumley, perhaps the least likely rebel that Gustafson has ever coached.

Brumley, the son of a former major-league catcher, is a quiet, deeply religious young man. He came to Texas only after three major schools in his home state of Oklahoma had rejected him. He grew up in Tulsa with his family—his father is now an ordained minister—less than two miles from Oral Roberts University, a school with a religious conviction as strong as its baseball program. "Texas was everything I wanted in a school and baseball program," admitted Brumley. "I was lucky to get an opportunity to go there."

Brumley, arguably the Horns' best player, was inserted at shortstop last year at his own request and with the blessing of Gustafson. It was the position both coach and player had intended for him to play all along. However, with All-America Spike Owen at shortstop in 1981, Brumley had first spent two all-star seasons in the outfield. He made the move back to shortstop in 1983, only to be bogged down in hitting and fielding slumps. By mid-season those problems were gone. So when the coach moved Brumley to the outfield for one game, Brumley balked and wouldn't take the field. "If you don't play where I want you to, you won't play at all," said Gus. And Brumley didn't. For four games.

"It was strictly a case of a player reading between the lines and misinterpreting what we're trying to do," said Gustafson. "It wasn't a permanent move. I felt the principle I was standing on was right, and I just don't like other people misinterpreting what happened."

It made for good ink, but seemed to have little effect on the Horns. "It just passed over because coach Gus is the way he is," said third baseman Bryan Burrows.

The pitching-rich Longhorns struggled early. They lost two of three games to Texas-Arlington, and split home series with Lubbock Christian, Texas Lutheran, and St. Mary's. They finally got rolling, regaining their pre-season top ranking, but found another slump waiting at the end of the regular season. After losing two of three in a conference series to Houston, the Longhorns went to fourth-ranked Oral Roberts and were swept in a two-game series. The team was struggling, and Gustafson knew it.

"We better get tougher or we aren't going anywhere," he said. "Our conference tournament is going to be very difficult for us if we don't play better." The Horns did play better, although they were extended to an extra game in the finals by upstart Arkansas.

Then it was the Central Regional in Austin. In the second round, Mississippi State beat Texas, 6-2. Another loss would have meant the end of the season for Texas. That loss never came, in either the regional or Omaha.

The Horns came back with victories over Tulane, Pan American, and two over Mississippi State to earn a record 22nd trip to the College World Series (and eleventh under Gustafson).

The hero in the regional was the unheralded Johnny Sutton. The grandson of the late St. Louis Cardinals' manager Johnny Keane, Sutton had spent the season sitting on the bench. By the time the regional arrived, Gustafson figured Sutton could do no worse than the unending number of outfielders who figured to be the major stumbling block in the Horns' quest for a third straight Series appearance. Sutton responded by going 10 for 21 in the regional and scored nine runs.

"I've really been humbled since arriving at Texas," said Sutton. "I've learned to appreciate every time I step on the field." In fact, Sutton did not even get his first at-bat of the season until the 55th game.

Heading into the CWS, at the opposite end of the spectrum, was first baseman Jose Tolentino. A junior-college transfer, Tolentino led the Horns in home runs (12) and RBIs (73) and was third in hitting (.339). He carried Texas in the slumps and was the catalyst in the conference tournament. Tolentino, a Mexican-born power hitter, earned his citizenship papers the week before the regional. He showed

1983 COLLEGE WORLD SERIES

First Round

Texas 12, James Madison 0
Oklahoma State 3, Stanford 1
Alabama 6, Arizona State 5 (11 innings)
Michigan 6, Maine 5

Second Round

Arizona State 7, Maine 0 (eliminated)
Stanford 3, James Madison 1 (eliminated)
Texas 6, Oklahoma State 5 (11 innings)
Alabama 6, Michigan 5

Third Round

Michigan 11, Stanford 4 (eliminated)
Arizona State 6, Oklahoma State 5 (eliminated)
Texas 6, Alabama 4 (10 innings)

Semifinals

Texas 4, Michigan 2 (eliminated)
Alabama 6, Arizona State 0 (eliminated)

Championship

Texas 4, Alabama 3

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Pitcher: Calvin Schiraldi, Texas
Pitcher: Tim Meacham, Alabama
Catcher: Jeff Hearn, Texas
First Base: David Magadan, Alabama
Second Base: Bill Bates, Texas
Shortstop: Mike Brumley, Texas
Third Base: Chris Sabo, Michigan
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Outfield: Dale Sklar, Michigan
Outfield: Tim Knapp, Oklahoma State
DH: Peter Incaviglia, Oklahoma State

proof that his mother was indeed American-born and that he was entitled to be a U.S. citizen. He was greeted with a chorus of "America the Beautiful" from Texas fans when he took the field to open the regional.

"Now I can be drafted," said Tolentino, a reference to major-league baseball's draft rules governing foreign citizens. "Yeah, into the military," chided Gus.

In Omaha the Longhorns were the overwhelming favorites. The rest of the field included Pac-10 champ Stanford, Big Eight champ Oklahoma State—Gustafson insisted the Cowboys should have been the favorites—Big Ten champ Michigan State, and

Southeastern Conference rep Alabama, the survivor of a rugged regional that included defending national champ Miami. Also, there was perennial power Arizona State, the 1981 national champ, along with Maine and James Madison.

The Longhorns had little trouble defeating first-time participant James Madison, 12-0, in their opener. Then came Oklahoma State, a game that broiled with bad blood. A year earlier, Texas had beaten OSU, 9-1, in the first round of the CWS. That game featured a collision at second base that ended the season for the Horn's Mike Livermore, a shouting match between Texas pitcher Roger Clemens and the Cowboy dugout, and later some quotes in Oklahoma newspapers attributed to Brumley that were less than flattering about OSU. That was followed by quotes from OSU players that were even less complimentary.

"I guess things got a little out of hand in that game," said Clemens.

Thanks to Texas's sloppy fielding, Oklahoma State led, 4-1, in the seventh. By the eighth, though, the Horns had gone ahead, 5-4, on a wild pitch. The Cowboys tied it in the ninth but, finally, in the eleventh, the little-used Jamie Doughty slammed a game-winning RBI-double off the wall for a 6-5 Longhorn victory. Doughty, a .207 hitter who had transferred to Texas from Seminole (Okla.) Junior College with Tolentino, had been placed at Seminole by OSU coach Gary Ward and recruited by OSU. "Coach Ward was the one who got me into junior college and got me going," said Doughty. "I guess that is the oddity in sports," said Ward.

The victory sent Texas into the winners' bracket finals against Alabama. Again, it matched Texas's pitching against a hitting-rich team, led by David Magadan, the nation's leading batter. Magadan, entering the game hitting .539, including eight for nine in the CWS, was the center of attention. He tied the game at 4-4 in the eighth with a solo homer off Calvin Schiraldi. In the ninth, though, with two on and two out, Schiraldi struck out Magadan. Brumley drove in the winning run in the top of the tenth and the Longhorns advanced with a 6-4 victory. Brumley sent the Longhorns into the finals without a loss when he hit a grand slam two nights later in a 4-2 victory over Michigan.

The stage was now set for Texas to polish off its most successful season ever (66-14). Kirk Killingsworth tripled off the wall in the seventh to score Brumley with the go-ahead run, and Tolentino's drag bunt scored Killingsworth. Clemens gave up only seven hits, and Texas had the national championship with a 4-3 victory over the Tide, which was making only its second appearance in the CWS.

The Longhorns were the ninth team to go through the College World Series unbeaten. Their talent was evident in the subsequent major-league draft. They had two first-found choices (pitchers Clemens and Schiraldi) and eight players in all selected. They had four pitchers who each won at least 12 games. The team ERA was 2.70 and a meager 2.12 in the Series. Schiraldi, who won two Series games and had 16 strikeouts in 14 1/3 innings, was named the tourney's most valuable player.

FINAL DIVISION I INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

BATTING

(Minimums—2.5 times at-bat per game played by team and 70 at-bats)

	CL	G	AB	Hits	Avg.
1. Greg Daniels, <i>Alcorn State</i>	JR	32	101	55	.545
2. David Magadan, <i>Alabama</i>	JR	56	217	114	.525
3. Jeff Trout, <i>Delaware</i>	SR	53	189	98	.519
4. Sam Toliano, <i>Iona</i>	JR	20	81	41	.506
5. Prince Couisnard, <i>Texas Southern</i>	JR	32	113	56	.496
6. Mike Malto, <i>Lehigh</i>	JR	30	121	59	.488
7. Andy Allanson, <i>Richmond</i>	JR	33	119	58	.487
8. Bill Merrifield, <i>Wake Forest</i>	JR	32	143	68	.476
9. Donald Montgomery, <i>Creighton</i>	JR	55	174	82	.471
10. Wally Joyner, <i>Brigham Young</i>	JR	64	249	115	.462
11. Dan Froehle, <i>Xavier</i>	SO	43	138	63	.457
12. Kurt Kauli, <i>Georgetown</i>	SR	50	191	86	.450
13. Dale Hughes, <i>Alcorn State</i>	JR	32	98	44	.449
14. Joe Dufek, <i>Yale</i>	SR	39	141	63	.447
15. Paul Daddario, <i>Buffalo</i>	JR	27	92	41	.446
16. J.D. Warner, <i>SW Missouri State</i>	SR	43	156	69	.442
17. Gilbert Reed, <i>Alcorn State</i>	SR	30	95	42	.442
18. Russ Morman, <i>Wichita State</i>	JR	71	255	112	.439
19. Bill Wright, <i>Western Illinois</i>	JR	32	105	46	.438
20. Ed Sheehan, <i>Vermont</i>	JR	23	80	35	.438
21. Ralph Antoine, <i>Western Kentucky</i>	SR	44	142	62	.437
22. Greg Hill, <i>Marshall</i>	SR	33	117	51	.436
23. DeMario Hale, <i>Southern-B.R.</i>	SR	41	161	70	.435
24. Alfredo Cardwood, <i>Long Island</i>	JR	25	106	46	.434
25. Bobby Beach, <i>Texas A&M</i>	SR	38	127	55	.433
26. Kevin Penner, <i>Wichita State</i>	JR	59	194	84	.433
27. Barry Jackson, <i>Howard</i>	JR	35	132	57	.432
28. Kevin Seitzer, <i>Eastern Illinois</i>	JR	31	102	44	.431
29. Andy Lolerksi, <i>Navy</i>	SR	43	165	71	.430
30. Eric Pharris, <i>Air Force</i>	FR	36	114	49	.430
31. Robby Cobb, <i>Ohio State</i>	SR	43	136	58	.426
32. Vin Martelli, <i>Harvard</i>	SR	36	122	52	.426
33. Oriol Perez, <i>Florida International</i>	SR	47	181	77	.425
34. Mark Fowler, <i>Tennessee State</i>	SO	37	104	44	.423
35. Corky Swindell, <i>Houston</i>	SO	58	199	84	.422
36. Steve Iannini, <i>Georgetown</i>	SR	49	200	84	.420
37. Gregory Robinson, <i>Tennessee State</i>	SR	36	112	47	.420
38. Shane Mack, <i>UCLA</i>	SO	49	210	88	.419
39. Cory Snyder, <i>Brigham Young</i>	SO	63	257	107	.416
40. Stan Scott, <i>Western Illinois</i>	SO	31	94	39	.415
41. Joe Gherna, <i>Western Michigan</i>	SR	47	135	56	.415
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43. Jack Pool, <i>Mercer</i>	SR	54	198	82	.414
44. Joe Ausc, <i>Ohio</i>	SR	44	128	53	.414
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46. Bob Shannon, <i>La Salle</i>	JR	32	92	38	.413
47. Mike Birkbeck, <i>Akron</i>	SR	51	155	64	.413
48. Greg Newcom, <i>Louisville</i>	JR	39	143	59	.413
49. Alex Podnuzny, <i>Eastern Washington</i>	SR	41	153	63	.412
50. John Turner, <i>Xavier</i>	JR	44	156	64	.410

RUNS BATTED IN

(Minimum 40)

	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Bill Merrifield, <i>Wake Forest</i>	JR	35	64	1.83
2. David Magadan, <i>Alabama</i>	JR	56	95	1.70
3. Andy Allanson, <i>Richmond</i>	JR	33	52	1.58
4. Jeff Onorato, <i>Lehigh</i>	SR	29	44	1.52
5. Wally Joyner, <i>Brigham Young</i>	JR	64	95	1.48
6. Bob Posey, <i>Campbell</i>	SO	31	46	1.48
7. Jack Pool, <i>Mercer</i>	SR	54	80	1.48
8. Russ Morman, <i>Wichita State</i>	JR	71	105	1.48
9. Gary Mahler, <i>Rider</i>	SR	38	56	1.47
10. Cory Snyder, <i>Brigham Young</i>	SO	63	91	1.44
11. Tim Smith, <i>Mercer</i>	SR	54	77	1.43
12. Tracy Woodson, <i>N.C. State</i>	SO	37	52	1.41
13. Eric Hardgrave, <i>Stanford</i>	SR	58	81	1.40
14. Harvey Lee, <i>Southern-B.R.</i>	JR	41	57	1.39
15. Brad Winkler, <i>Mississippi State</i>	SR	57	79	1.39
16. Mike Stanek, <i>Delaware</i>	JR	52	72	1.38
17. Greg Daniels, <i>Alcorn State</i>	JR	32	44	1.38
18. Rafael Palmeiro, <i>Mississippi State</i>	FR	57	78	1.37
19. Paul Giersz, <i>Illinois State</i>	JR	42	57	1.36
20. Randy Riley, <i>Jacksonville</i>	JR	57	77	1.35

HOME RUNS

(Minimum 10)

	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Bill Merrifield, <i>Wake Forest</i>	JR	35	17	0.49
2. Tim Smith, <i>Mercer</i>	SR	54	24	0.44
3. Alfredo Cardwood, <i>Long Island</i>	JR	25	11	0.44
4. Eric Hardgrave, <i>Stanford</i>	SR	58	24	0.41
5. Kevin Bascue, <i>Kansas</i>	JR	32	13	0.41
6. Steve Peruso, <i>Georgia Southern</i>	SR	55	22	0.40
7. Jack Pool, <i>Mercer</i>	SR	54	21	0.39
8. Ben Abner, <i>Georgia Southern</i>	SO	62	23	0.37
9. Pete Incaviglia, <i>Oklahoma State</i>	FR	63	23	0.37
10. Chris Boyle, <i>South Carolina</i>	JR	44	16	0.36
11. Wally Joyner, <i>Brigham Young</i>	JR	64	23	0.36
12. Mike Gargiulo, <i>Murray State</i>	SO	39	14	0.36
13. Mark McGwire, <i>Southern California</i>	SO	53	19	0.36
14. Lynn Wade, <i>Illinois State</i>	SR	42	15	0.36
15. Bob Posey, <i>Campbell</i>	SO	31	11	0.35
16. Tracy Woodson, <i>N.C. State</i>	SO	37	13	0.35
17. Jeff Onorato, <i>Lehigh</i>	SR	29	10	0.34
18. Brian Greif, <i>Wake Forest</i>	JR	35	12	0.34
19. Lee Hutson, <i>Murray State</i>	JR	38	13	0.34
20. Jeff Depiano, <i>Jacksonville</i>	SR	56	19	0.34

DOUBLES

(Minimum 12)

	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Sam Toliano, <i>Iona</i>	JR	20	12	0.60
2. Greg Daniels, <i>Alcorn State</i>	JR	32	18	0.56
3. David Magadan, <i>Alabama</i>	JR	56	31	0.55
4. Wally Joyner, <i>Brigham Young</i>	JR	64	32	0.50
4. Mark Gile, <i>Kansas</i>	JR	30	15	0.50
4. Gregg Miller, <i>Buffalo</i>	SR	28	14	0.50
7. Neal Bertram, <i>Eastern Illinois</i>	SR	34	16	0.47
8. Don Lovell, <i>Portland State</i>	SR	49	23	0.47
9. Jim Long, <i>Drexel</i>	SR	30	14	0.47
10. Don Allard, <i>Harvard</i>	SR	35	16	0.46
11. Oriol Perez, <i>Florida International</i>	SR	47	21	0.45
12. Scott Steed, <i>Portland State</i>	SR	49	21	0.43
12. Bill Peach, <i>New Hampshire</i>	JR	28	12	0.43
14. Jeff Wolf, <i>William and Mary</i>	JR	40	17	0.43
15. John Marquardt, <i>Missouri</i>	JR	38	16	0.42

TRIPLES

(Minimum 7)

	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Marc Heyson, <i>George Washington</i>	JR	29	7	0.24
2. Rob Baker, <i>Indiana State</i>	JR	43	10	0.23
3. Brian Robinson, <i>Southwestern La.</i>	SR	50	10	0.20
4. Tim Evans, <i>Alabama-Birmingham</i>	JR	42	8	0.19
5. James Higgins, <i>Tennessee State</i>	SR	38	7	0.18
6. Chris Luketich, <i>Northern Colorado</i>	FR	39	7	0.18
7. Kent Lynch, <i>Ball State</i>	SR	45	8	0.18
8. Kevin Ward, <i>Arizona</i>	SR	53	9	0.17
9. J.D. Warner, <i>SW Missouri State</i>	SR	43	7	0.16
10. Eric Fox, <i>Fresno State</i>	SO	63	10	0.16
11. Brad Bierley, <i>Pepperdine</i>	SO	52	8	0.15
11. Rick Ronquillo, <i>New Mexico</i>	SR	52	8	0.15
13. Scott Steed, <i>Portland State</i>	SR	49	7	0.14
14. Dan Boever, <i>Nebraska</i>	SR	59	8	0.14
15. John Dunlap, <i>Florida</i>	SR	52	7	0.13
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4. Mark Gabriel, Niagara	JR	21	23	25	1.10
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11. Kevin Ayers, N.C.-Charlotte	SO	39	34	39	0.87
12. Tim Hill, Tennessee Tech	JR	37	31	38	0.84
13. Gerald Robinson, Prairie View A&M	SO	35	29	30	0.83
14. Eddie Kennedy, New Mexico State	JR	35	29	31	0.83
15. Kevin Maloney, Arkansas State	JR	34	28	31	0.82

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE

(Minimums—2.5 times at-bat per game played by team and 70 at-bats)	CL	G	AB	H	TB	Pct.
1. Bill Merrifield, Wake Forest	JR	35	143	68	132	.923
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13. Pete Incaviglia, Oklahoma State	FR	63	194	72	156	.804
14. Oriol Perez, Florida International	SR	47	181	77	145	.801

TOUGHEST TO STRIKE OUT

(Minimums—2.5 times at-bat per game played by team and 70 at-bats)	CL	G	AB	SO	Avg.
1. Mike Shriner, New Hampshire	FR	26	77	0	—
2. Mike Gibbons, Richmond	SO	32	111	1	111.0
3. Jim Walewander, Iowa State	JR	46	160	2	80.0
4. John Turner, Xavier	JR	44	156	2	78.0
5. Ryne Johnson, Brown	SR	23	76	1	76.0
6. Dino Santacrose, Niagara	SR	21	71	1	71.0
7. Barry Jackson, Howard	JR	35	132	2	66.0
8. Wayne King, Virginia Tech	SR	48	169	3	56.3
9. Corky Swindell, Houston	SO	58	199	4	49.8
10. Jordan Berge, Northern Colorado	SR	37	136	3	45.3
11. Andy Allanson, Richmond	JR	33	119	3	39.7
12. Don Phillips, Va. Commonwealth	JR	45	157	4	39.3
13. Mike Kalopoulos, Cornell	SO	34	117	3	39.0
14. Elliot Rivera, Harvard	SO	34	113	3	37.7

RUNS SCORED

(Minimum 40)	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Bret Elbin, Alabama	SR	54	88	1.63
2. Jeff Trout, Delaware	SR	53	86	1.62
3. Mike Malto, Lehigh	JR	30	47	1.57
4. Donald Montgomery, Creighton	JR	55	83	1.51
5. Jim Spring, Wichita State	SR	72	*107	1.49
6. Demario Hale, Southern-B.R.	SR	41	59	1.44
7. Dan Van Cleave, Mississippi State	JR	56	80	1.43
8. Kevin Penner, Wichita State	JR	59	84	1.42
9. Bill Merrifield, Wake Forest	JR	35	49	1.40
10. Russ Morman, Wichita State	JR	71	99	1.39

WALKS

(Minimum 30)	CL	G	No.	Avg.
1. Dave Daniels, Lafayette	SO	35	47	1.34
2. Bob Irwin, La Salle	JR	32	42	1.31
3. Bruce Weller, Harvard	JR	36	47	1.31
4. Bret Elbin, Alabama	SR	54	66	1.22
5. Don Reed, Grambling State	SR	42	50	1.19
6. John Andrade, Towson State	JR	35	41	1.17
7. Otis Manning, Detroit	SR	48	56	1.17
8. Pete Stanick, Stanford	SO	59	68	1.15
9. Terrence Felder, St. Francis (N.Y.)	SO	28	32	1.14
10. Bobby Jones, Ala.-Birmingham	JR	47	52	1.11

*Most in nation—83, Chris Cannizzaro, San Diego State (1.08)

MOST VICTORIES

	CL	G	IP	W	L	Pct.
1. Jim Hickey, Pan American	SR	19	130.3	16	2	.88.9
2. Dennis Livingston, Oklahoma State	SO	22	135.0	15	3	.83.3
3. Scott Nielsen, Brigham Young	SR	16	112.3	14	1	.93.3
4. Calvin Schiraldi, Texas	JR	24	140.0	14	2	.87.5
5. Erik Sonberg, Wichita State	JR	20	139.0	14	4	.77.8
6. Dan Yokubaitis, Cal-Santa Barbara	SR	24	152.3	14	4	.77.8
7. Mike Capel, Texas	JR	19	108.7	13	1	.92.9
8. Bill Blount, San Diego State	SO	19	120.3	13	2	.86.7
9. Steve Oliverio, South Alabama	JR	24	127.3	13	4	.76.5
10. Roger Clemens, Texas	JR	24	166.0	13	5	.72.2

STRIKEOUTS#

(Minimum 45 strikeouts)	CL	G	IP	SO	Avg.
1. Mike Cherry, Citadel	JR	14	87.7	132	13.6
2. Terry Wells, Illinois	SO	12	45.7	64	12.6
3. Gilbert Villanueva, Arizona State	FR	17	50.7	68	12.1
4. Dennis Livingston, Oklahoma State	SO	22	135.0	*180	12.0
5. Steve Engel, Eastern Kentucky	JR	8	46.7	60	11.6
6. Ray Hayward, Oklahoma	JR	13	98.0	125	11.5
7. Jeff Innis, Illinois	JR	26	39.7	50	11.3
8. Alan Dunn, Alabama	SO	18	53.0	65	11.0
9. David Smalley, Florida State	SR	16	64.3	78	10.9
10. Drew Hall, Morehead State	SO	11	58.3	70	10.8
11. James Petties, Tennessee State	JR	13	62.7	75	10.8
12. Peter Grimm, Buffalo	JR	7	42	50	10.7
13. Pat Gilha, Akron	FR	9	44.3	52	10.6
14. Kent Murphy, Western Illinois	SO	10	61.7	72	10.5
15. Scott Reburn, Louisville	JR	14	84.0	96	10.3

#Average per nine innings

EARNED RUN AVERAGE

(Minimum 45 innings pitched)	CL	G	IP	R	ER	ERA
1. David Mills, Citadel	JR	12	63.7	20	8	1.13
2. Roger Williams, North Carolina	FR	11	60.7	24	8	1.19
3. Rayner Noble, Houston	SR	19	102.7	25	15	1.31
4. Sean Finnegan, St. Joseph's (Pa.)	JR	8	53.7	16	9	1.51
5. Rich Rice, Florida	JR	19	46.3	9	8	1.55
6. Rick Moyer, Kent State	SO	9	57.0	10	10	1.58
7. Jim Hickey, Pan American	SR	19	130.3	42	24	1.66
8. Calvin Schiraldi, Texas	JR	24	140.0	37	27	1.74
9. Todd Burns, Oral Roberts	SO	28	51.7	10	10	1.74
10. Steve Wilson, Portland	FR	10	45.3	15	9	1.79
11. Gary Wayne, Michigan	JR	15	69.7	25	14	1.81
12. Bryan Augsburger, Va. Military	SO	9	53.0	21	11	1.87
13. Todd Simmons, Fullerton State	SO	24	109.0	41	24	1.98
14. Bill Wilson, Pan American	JR	8	59.0	40	13	1.98
15. Paul Quinzer, Indiana State	FR	11	52.7	24	12	2.05

MOST SAVES

	CL	G	IP	ERA	Saves
1. Troy Brauchle, Alabama	JR	32	47.7	2.64	12
2. Todd Burns, Oral Roberts	SO	28	51.7	1.74	11
3. Bruce Tanner, Florida State	SO	41	66.3	2.44	9
4. David Evers, Oklahoma City	SR	33	105.0	4.63	8
5. Mike Pinar, Nevada-Las Vegas	SR	33	46.0	7.43	8

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3. Brigham Young	(54-11)	65	2292	828	.361
4. Alcorn State	(18-15)	33	896	322	.359
5. Old Dominion	(41-11)	52	1621	575	.355
6. Creighton	(39-17)	56	1613	571	.354
7. Xavier	(28-16)	44	1324	465	.351
8. Morehead State	(28-17)	46	1370	459	.334
9. Delaware	(37-16)	53	1736	595	.343
10. Jacksonville	(38-19)	57	1933	660	.341
11. Temple	(30-11)	41	1334	455	.341
12. Indiana State	(37-14)	52	1523	519	.341
13. Ala.-Birmingham	(29-18)	47	1541	524	.340
14. Minnesota	(27-21)	48	1426	481	.337
15. Tennessee State	(26-11)	39	1021	344	.337

Most hits in nation—837, San Diego State (.328)

PITCHING

	(W-L)	G	IP	R	ER	ERA
1. Texas	(66-14)	80	669.0	252	202	2.72
2. Pan American	(64-19)	84	629.0	316	198	2.83
3. Citadel	(34-10)	44	336.0	144	106	2.84
4. Florida	(38-14)	52	429.7	190	136	2.85
5. North Carolina	(42-10)	52	447.3	186	144	2.90
6. Houston	(43-15)	58	453.3	200	148	2.94
7. Rice	(36-16)	54	435.3	183	148	3.06
8. Michigan	(50-9)	59	441.0	194	151	3.08
9. Appalachian State	(31-14)	45	327.0	182	116	3.19
10. Fullerton State	(50-21)	72	625.0	308	227	3.27
11. Kent State	(44-16)	60	404.0	191	149	3.32
12. Fresno State	(45-19)	64	547.7	250	204	3.35
13. Clemson	(30-20)	51	440.0	223	170	3.48
14. South Carolina	(35-13)	48	420.7	205	164	3.51
15. Nebraska	(44-15)	59	440.7	223	176	3.59

*Most in nation

FIELDING

	(W-L)	G	PO	A	E	Pct.
1. Rice	(36-16)	54	1305	576	56	.971
2. Stanford	(41-17)	59	1569	666	77	.967
3. Michigan	(50-9)	59	1323	633	68	.966
4. Texas	(66-14)	80	2007	772	98	.966
5. Pepperdine	(33-20)	54	1366	577	69	.966
6. Miami (Ohio)	(36-15)	51	1077	523	58	.965
7. South Carolina	(35-13)	48	1262	536	66	.965
8. Missouri	(25-16)	41	900	405	48	.965
9. Old Dominion	(41-11)	52	1167	487	61	.964
10. New Hampshire	(16-12)	28	588	278	32	.964
11. Houston	(43-15)	58	1360	553	71	.964
12. Fresno State	(45-19)	64	1643	684	86	.964
13. St. Mary's (Cal.)	(29-21)	51	1245	577	68	.964
14. North Carolina	(42-10)	52	1342	504	69	.964
15. Portland State	(32-18)	50	1172	451	61	.964

SCORING

	(W-L)	G	R	Avg.
1. Brigham Young	(54-11)	65	672	10.3
2. Wichita State	(55-18)	73	*715	9.8
3. Georgia Tech	(38-15)	53	518	9.8
4. Jacksonville	(38-19)	57	551	9.7
5. Duke	(14-12)	27	246	9.1
6. Mississippi State	(42-15)	57	515	9.0
7. Alabama	(46-11)	57	510	8.9
8. Old Dominion	(41-11)	52	459	8.8
9. Lehigh	(18-12)	30	263	8.8
10. Hawaii	(47-20)	67	581	8.7
11. Ala.-Birmingham	(29-18)	47	406	8.6
12. Delaware	(37-16)	53	457	8.6
13. Temple	(30-11)	41	353	8.6
14. Yale	(23-15)	39	332	8.5
15. Oklahoma State	(48-16)	64	536	8.4

HOME RUNS

	(W-L)	G	HR	Avg.
1. Jacksonville	(38-19)	57	*110	1.93
2. Murray State	(28-11)	39	68	1.74
3. Mercer	(29-26)	56	94	1.68
4. Brigham Young	(54-11)	65	105	1.62
5. Richmond	(22-11)	33	49	1.48
6. Morehead State	(28-17)	46	67	1.46
7. Oral Roberts	(51-17)	68	98	1.44

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE

	(W-L)	G	AB	TB	Pct.
1. Jacksonville.....	(38-19)	57	1933	1137	.588
2. Brigham Young.....	(54-11)	65	2292	*1335	.582
3. Xavier.....	(28-16)	44	1324	755	.570
4. Murray State.....	(28-11)	39	1186	668	.563
5. Wichita State.....	(55-18)	73	2313	1290	.558
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WORLD SERIES STRIKEOUTS

By Chuck Pickard

COMMERCE JOURNAL

Garry Maddox provided a bright start for Philadelphia in the rain-soaked opening game of the 1983 World Series. He belted a home run in the eighth inning to give the Phillies a 2-1 victory over the Baltimore Orioles. But dark clouds rolled in on the National League champions shortly thereafter. The Phils dropped the next two games before the storm struck in game four.

Storm Davis, that is. The Orioles' 21-year-old right-hander, making his Series debut, swept through the Phils' lineup, retiring the first ten batters he faced before Pete Rose lined a single to center in the fourth inning. The largest crowd in the history of Veterans Stadium (66,947) saw Davis strike out Joe Morgan, Rose, and Mike Schmidt, who among them had played in 62 Series games, in the first inning. So much for experience. Oddly enough, Davis did not fan another batter in his five-inning stint. But he did pick up the win, with Tippy Martinez collecting his second save.

Aside from the excitement of Davis's fast start, the 80th Fall Classic proved as calm as a summer breeze from the strikeout standpoint. Still, the pitchers generated more heat than the hitters. The Orioles batted a mere .212 in becoming only the fourth team—after the 1915 Red Sox, the 1942 Cardinals, and the 1969 Mets—to win four straight World Series games after an opening defeat. Conversely, Philadelphia hit a paltry .195 in joining the 1915 Phils, the 1942 Yankees, and the 1969 Orioles as the only teams to lose four in a row after winning the first game.

The Phillies could find little solace in the fact that their staff owned a 37-29 margin in the strikeout column. Baseball's all-time king of the Ks, Steve Carlton, turned in the high strikeout game of the Series by fanning seven Orioles in the third game. For Baltimore, rookie Mike Boddicker notched six Ks in game two and Scott McGregor matched that sum in the title-clincher. McGregor was the only pitcher in the five-game set to reach double figures in strikeouts. He recorded 12 in 17 innings.

By comparison, 34 pitchers have struck out at least ten batters in one game 42 times in Series play. Bob Gibson did it five times. The Cardinal right-hander set Series records for most strikeouts in one game (17) and one Series (35) in 27 innings of work against the Detroit Tigers in 1968.

Sandy Koufax erased 15 Yankees on strikes in the opening game of the 1963 Series. He embellished his performance by striking out the first five batters to tie the mark of Cardinal Mort Cooper, who did the trick against the Browns in the 1944 Series. Koufax retired pinch hitter Harry Bright on strikes for the game-ending out. Afterwards, Bright said: "I guess I'm the only guy in baseball to have 60,000 people cheering for me to strike out." Koufax also had two games in 1965 when he fanned ten Minnesota batters.

Walter Johnson and Bob Turley each had two Series games in which they reached double figures in strikeouts. Johnson set down 12 Giants in the 1924 curtain raiser, only to come away a 4-3 loser in 12 innings. The Senators' Big Train was more fortunate the following year, when he spiced

his 4-1 opening-game win over Pittsburgh with ten strikeouts. Turley fanned 11 Dodgers in game six of the 1956 Series, and the Yankee came back with ten Ks against the Braves in the fifth game of the 1958 classic.

Surprisingly, Whitey Ford's name is missing from the ten-or-more strikeout chart. However, the crafty Yankee southpaw was durable enough to fan a record 94 batters in 11 fall classics. Ford, whose high strikeout game was eight, wound up making more mound appearances (22) and pitching more innings (146) than any pitcher in World Series annals.

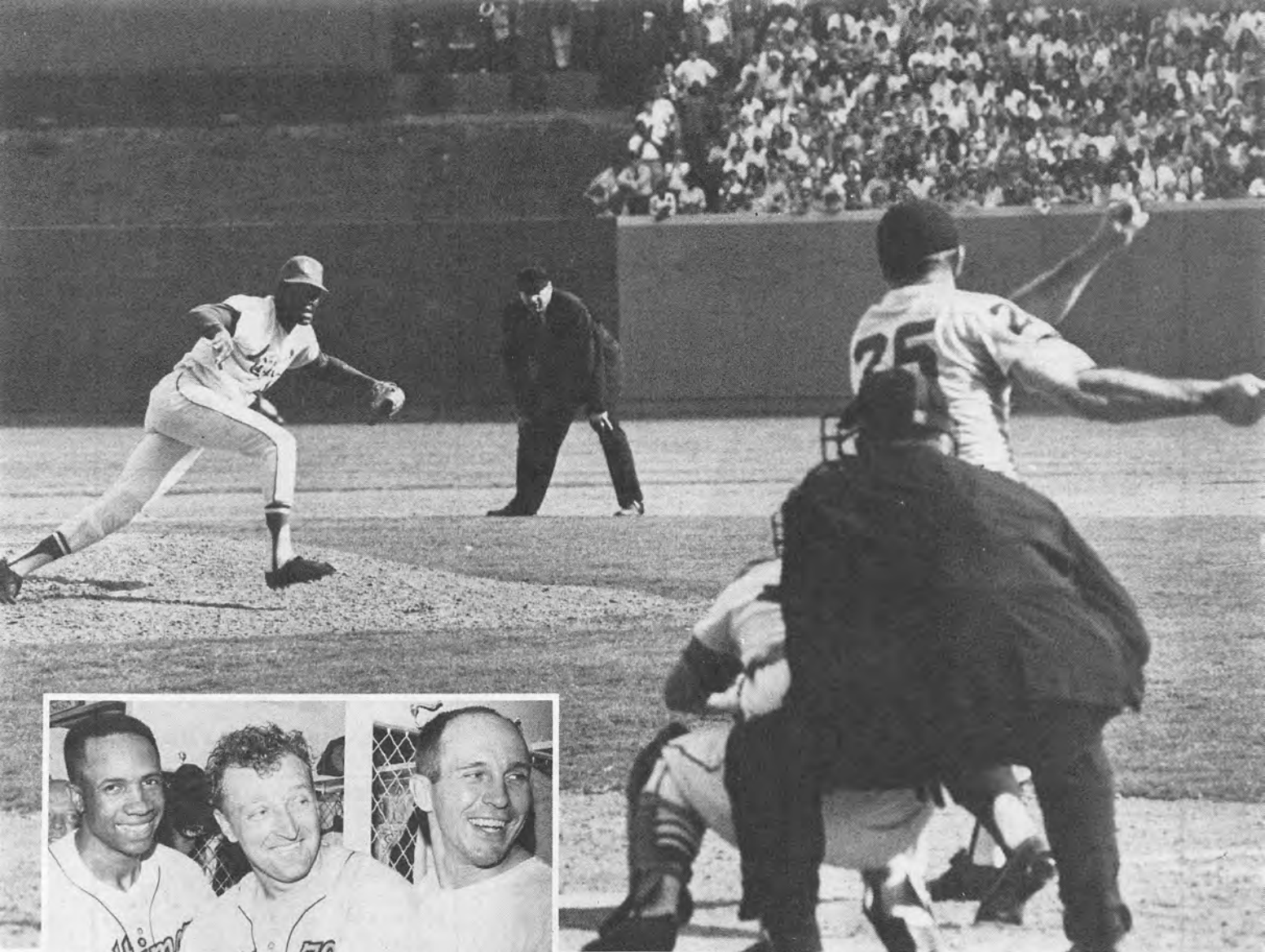
Other noteworthy single-game strikeout performances were logged by Howard Ehmke and Carl Erskine. Ehmke entered the record book by whiffing 13 Cubs as the surprise starter for Connie Mack's Athletics in the 1929 opener. His record stood until Erskine struck out 14 Yankees in the third game of the 1953 Series.

Moe Drabowsky achieved strikeout distinction as a relief pitcher in the 1966 Oriole-Dodger confrontation. Relieving O's starter Dave McNally in the third inning of the first game, Drabowsky proceeded to fan 11 Dodgers—the most by a fireman in a World Series game. Moe also tied a Series mark by striking out six straight batters. Cincinnati pitcher Horace Eler had done the same to the White Sox in 1919.

While Gibson, Koufax, Erskine, and Ehmke made World Series headlines with high strikeout games, other pitchers gained the spotlight by delivering strikeouts in crucial spots. And perhaps the most stirring script was co-authored by Dodger pitcher Bob Welch and Yankee slugger Reggie Jackson in 1978. Welch arrived on the scene in the ninth inning of the second game with runners on first and second, one out, and the Dodgers nursing a 4-3 lead. Thurman Munson was retired on a liner to right for the second out, but the game was still on the line when Jackson stepped in to take his cuts against the fireballing right-hander. The tension mounted when the count went full, and the runners ready to move on the next pitch. Welch won the duel as Reggie took a mighty swing and missed. The game-ending strikeout gave Los Angeles a 2-0 lead in the Series, but the Yanks rallied to win the title in six games.

Don Larsen captured the imagination of all sports fans by hurling a perfect game in 1956. The Yankee pitcher put the finishing touches on his fifth-game masterpiece by getting pinch hitter Dale Mitchell on a called third strike. Larsen posted only seven whiffs in his 2-0 victory, but No. 7 capped one of baseball's most memorable games. The strikeout was Mitchell's only one in 30 World Series at-bats during his career.

Bob Gibson fanned Norm Cash for record 16th K in Game 1 of 1968 Cardinal-Tiger Series. Mickey Owen dropped a two-out third strike in ninth inning of Game 4 of '41 Series that allowed Tommy Henrich to reach first and NY to score four runs to beat Brooklyn, 7-4. Frank Robinson and Brooks Robinson belted home runs to support Moe Drabowsky's 11-K relief effort in Game 1 of '66 Baltimore-Los Angeles Series.



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The first classic matching the Yankees and Dodgers, in 1941, produced a bizarre strikeout that led to a game-winning rally. Brooklyn held a 4-3 lead with two outs in the ninth inning of game four when disaster struck. Catcher Mickey Owen dropped a third strike thrown by Dodger pitcher Hugh Casey, allowing Tommy Henrich to reach first. The Yankees cashed in on the error to score four runs and win, 7-4.

A similar muff by Detroit catcher Charlie Schmidt in the ninth inning of the 1907 opener cost Bill Donovan a win over the Cubs. Schmidt's failure to hold a third strike permitted the tying run to score, and the game was called by darkness after 12 innings with the teams in a 3-3 standoff.

Grover Cleveland Alexander wore the hero's crown in 1926, and the 39-year-old pitcher won his spot on the World Series throne in dramatic fashion. After defeating the Yankees in the second and sixth games, old Pete was summoned from the bullpen to relieve Jesse Haines with two outs and the bases loaded in the seventh inning of the final contest. Alexander was equal to the challenge. He fanned the dangerous Tony Lazzeri, and did not allow a hit the rest of the way. In winning their first world championship, the Cardinals saluted Alexander.

As the Phillies discovered in the 1983 Series, the team with the higher whiff total in the pitching ledger does not always have the better numbers in the win column. The 1927 classic offers a perfect example. Pittsburgh's staff combined for 25 strikeouts to only seven by New York hurlers. The Yankees, however, sandwiched 38 hits (ten for extra bases) around their 25 Ks to sweep the Pirates. Bob Meusel set the record for most whiffs by a batter in a four-game set, with seven.

St. Louis pitchers, keyed by Gibson's big numbers, owned a 59-40 strikeout advantage in 1968, yet Detroit survived the rash of Ks to win the championship. The total of 99 strikeouts is a record for two teams in a seven-game Series.

New York hurlers suffered the same fate in the 1973 classic. Led by Tom Seaver's 18 whiffs, the Mets' staff piled up a record 62 strikeouts, compared with only 36 by Oakland. The A's showed the right numbers where it counted, though, by

winning the title in seven games. That Series was also noteworthy in that the second game, a 12-inning marathon, produced 25 strikeouts (15 by New York pitchers) to tie the single-game mark set by the Dodgers and Yankees in the 1963 opener.

With Carlton fanning 17 in 15 innings, the Phillies dominated the strikeout chart (49-17) in winning their first world championship in 1980. Kansas City's Willie Wilson was victimized 12 times in six games, setting a record for most whiffs by a batter in a Series of any length. The Royals' speedster had the dubious distinction of being the first player to open and close a World Series with a K by his name. The 49 strikeouts matched the record for six games, set by the 1944 Cardinals.

Hal Newhouser provided the spark for Detroit in 1945. He set down 22 Cubs in 21 innings, as the Tigers won the whiff war, 48-22. Newhouser posted a 9-3 victory in the seventh game, contributing ten strikeouts in the process.

The 1929 Athletics conquered the Cubs, four games to one, and the A's also ruled the strikeout ledger, 50-27. The 50 whiffs by Philadelphia pitchers and the two-team total (77) are records for a five-game Series.

Such great hitters as Rogers Hornsby, Duke Snider, and Eddie Mathews wound up on the negative side of the World Series strikeout table. Hornsby went down on strikes eight times as a member of the Cubs in the 1929 classic. Snider tied Hornsby's five-game whiff mark in 1949 when he batted a feeble .143. Mathews proved a major disappointment for the Braves in 1958 when he struck out 11 times and batted a dismal .160 in the seven-game Series. Wayne Garrett socked two of the Mets' four home runs in 1973, but he also struck out 11 times in seven games.

George Pipgras knew that pitchers aren't counted on to hit, so the Yankee right-hander fanned five consecutive times while whiffing only one Cub batter in game three of the 1932 Series. However, Pipgras pocketed the 7-5 victory.

Mickey Mantle fanned 54 times in Series play. Don Larsen (#18) struck out Dale Mitchell for final out in his perfect game in '56 Series. Grover Alexander whiffed Tony Lazzeri (below right) with bases loaded in final game of 1926 Cardinal-Yankee Series.



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WORLD SERIES STRIKEOUTS

Another Yankee, slugger Mickey Mantle, also whiffed five times in a row, but he spread them over two games in the 1953 classic.

Bill Abstein's failure to make consistent contact in the 1909 Series cost the Pirate first baseman his job. Abstein struck out ten times in seven games, and afterwards he was handed his walking papers by Buc owner Barney Dreyfuss.

Mathews has the highest strikeout frequency among players with 50 or more at-bats in World Series play. He fanned 17 times in 50 turns, for a 2.9 reading. Following Mathews in this category are Gene Tenace (3.4), Willie Stargell (3.6), and Mike Tresh (3.8). Mantle, the all-time leader with 54 Series strikeouts, wound up with a 4.3 reading. By the same token, Mantle also tops the Series home-run chart, with 18.

On the opposite end of the spectrum, Charlie Gehringer proved the toughest batter to fan with baseball's championship on the line. The Detroit Hall of Famer struck out only once in 81 at-bats while compiling a .321 average in 20 games. Following Gehringer on the toughest-to-fan chart are Joe Dugan (two Ks in 90 at-bats), Joe Jackson (two in 55), and Carl Yastrzemski (two in 54).

Nine players, headed by Tim Lincecum and Yogi Berra, have each made at least 25 official plate appearances in one Series without striking out. Lincecum showed a clean slate for 30 at-bats for Pittsburgh in 1979. Berra put together a string of 52 straight at-bats without fanning in the 1957 and 1958 Yankee-Brave confrontations. Other players on this list include Billy Southworth (29, 1927), Ed Roush (29, 1919), Gehringer (28, 1940), Jim Gilliam (28, 1965), Charlie Moore (26, 1982), Frankie Frisch (25, 1923), and Jackie Robinson (25, 1953).

Lou Gehrig compiled some healthy batting credentials while striking out only once in 1932. Gehrig batted .529 in the four games with three homers among his nine hits, nine runs, and eight RBIs. Reggie Jackson kept his whiffs down (three in 20 at-bats) while belting a record five home runs—all on the first pitch—in 1977. Reggie saved his best for the last, connecting for the circuit three times in game six, thus becoming only the second player—after Babe Ruth in 1926 and '28—in Series annals to perform this feat. Ruth, who ranks second on the Series home-run list, with 15, had numbers on both sides of the strikeout ledger. The Bambino fanned 30 times in 129 at-bats and registered eight Ks in 31 innings as a pitcher.

Charlie Gehringer struck out just once in 81 Series at-bats for the Detroit Tigers.

From a team standpoint, the Boston Braves show the highest strikeout rating on the batting table. In two Series, Brave batters fanned 37 times in 322 at-bats for a frequency mark of 8.70. The Mets lead the overall pitching chart with 7.36 strikeouts per nine innings. The St. Louis Browns had a 7.17 mark in their lone Series appearance to pace the American League. Baltimore, which inherited the St. Louis franchise in 1954, follows with a 6.26 average. For sheer numbers, the Yankees top both sides of the strikeout chart. New York hitters have struck out 986 times in the World Series and Yankee hurlers have posted 979 Ks.

Among pitchers who logged at least 25 World Series innings, Gibson ranks No. 1 in strikeouts per game (or nine innings) with a 10.22 norm. Rounding out the top five are Koufax (9.63), Carlton (9.00), Roger Craig (8.65), and Jesse Barnes (8.31). A closer check shows that nine of the top ten Series whiff artists pitched in the modern era. Barnes (1921-22) is the only old-timer whose name appears on the table. The scales balance out, however, as nine of the ten hitters who have fanned most frequently also played in the post-World War II period. Jim Bottomley (1926-31) is the lone exception.

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING (25 or more innings)

pitcher	s	g	ip	so	so/9 inn
Bob Gibson	3	9	81.0	92	10.22
Sandy Koufax	4	8	57.0	61	9.63
Steve Carlton	4	6	31.2	32	9.00
Roger Craig	4	7	26.1	25	8.65
Jesse Barnes	2	4	26.1	24	8.31
Don Drysdale	5	7	39.2	36	8.10
Tom Seaver	2	4	30.0	27	8.10
George Earnshaw	3	8	62.2	56	8.00
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Mickey Lolich	1	3	27.0	21	7.00

TOUGHEST TO FAN (50 or more at-bats)

player	s	g	ab	so	ab/so
Charlie Gehringer	3	20	81	1	81.0
Joe Dugan	5	25	90	2	45.0
Joe Jackson	2	14	55	2	27.5
Carl Yastrzemski	2	14	54	2	27.0
Frankie Frisch	8	50	197	9	21.9
Stan Musial	4	23	86	4	21.5
Sam Rice	3	15	63	3	21.0
Red Schoendienst	3	19	78	4	19.5
Larry Doyle	3	19	76	4	19.0
Bobby Richardson	7	36	131	7	18.7
Lou Piniella	4	22	72	4	18.0
Tris Speaker	3	20	72	4	18.0
Phil Rizzuto	9	52	183	11	16.6
Junior Gilliam	7	39	147	9	16.3
Yogi Berra	14	75	259	17	15.2
Everett Scott	5	27	91	6	15.2

EASIEST TO FAN (50 or more at-bats)

player	s	g	ab	so	ab/so
Eddie Mathews	3	16	50	17	2.9
Gene Tenace	4	24	57	17	3.4
Willie Stargell	2	14	54	15	3.6
Mike Tresh	3	18	65	17	3.8
Frank Robinson	5	26	92	23	4.0
Sal Bando	3	19	68	17	4.0
Duke Snider	6	36	133	33	4.0
Reggie Jackson	5	27	98	24	4.1
Jim Bottomley	4	24	90	22	4.1
Joe Collins	7	36	92	22	4.2
Thurman Munson	3	16	67	16	4.2
Ossie Bluege	3	17	60	14	4.3
Mickey Mantle	12	65	230	54	4.3
Babe Ruth	10	41	129	30	4.3
George Kelly	4	26	101	23	4.4
Tony Perez	5	23	95	21	4.5
Mike Shannon	4	21	81	18	4.5
Hank Greenberg	4	23	85	19	4.5
Willie Davis	3	15	54	12	4.5

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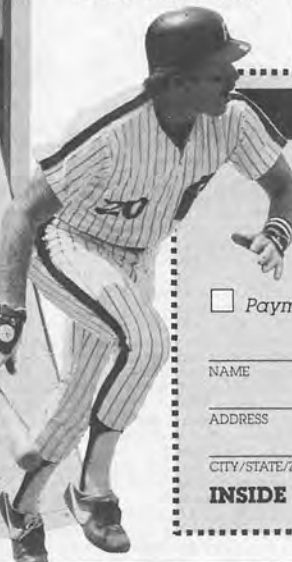
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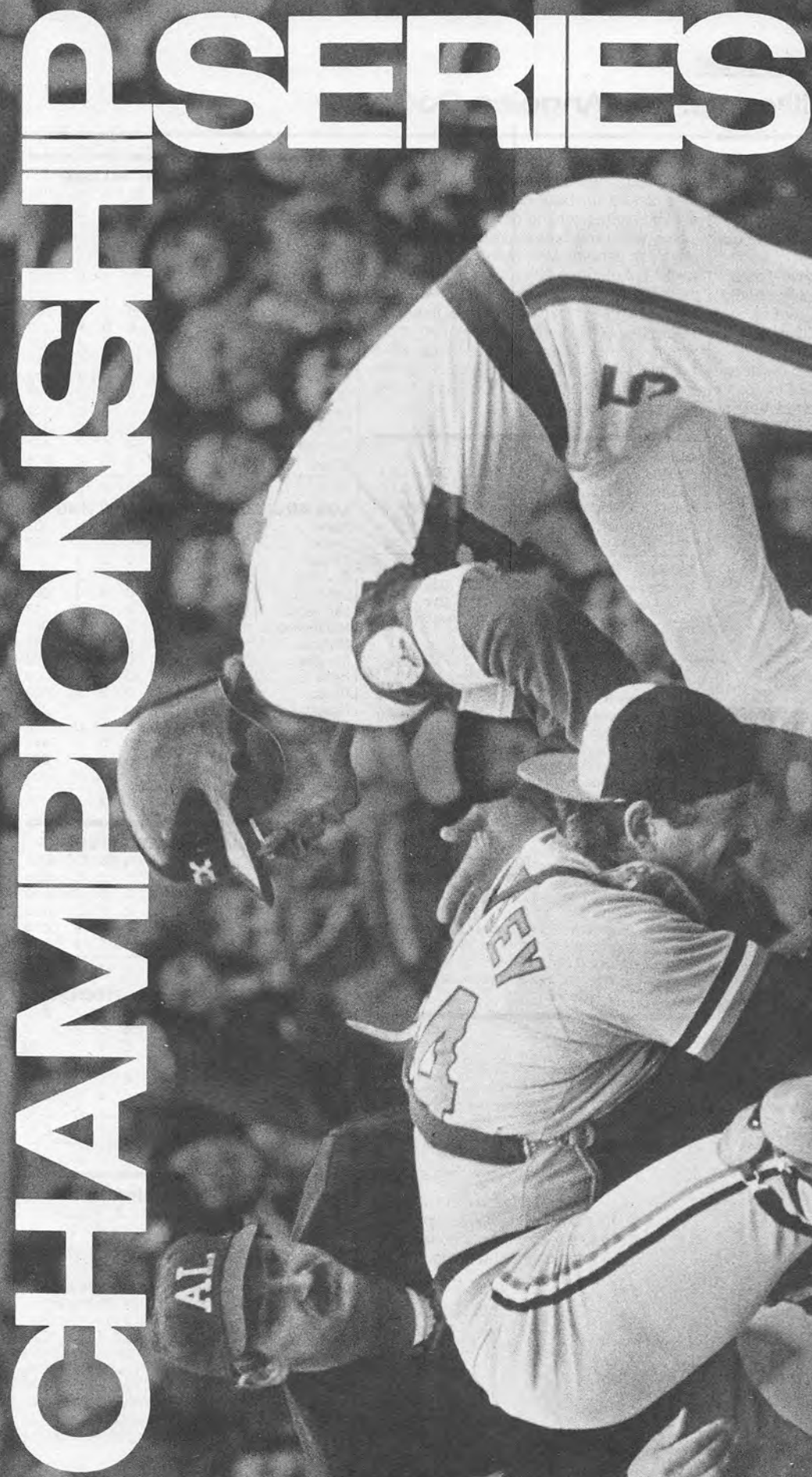


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Game 1 matched the Phils' Steve Carlton against the Dodgers' Jerry Reuss in a battle of premier left-handers. Carlton, with an assist to Al Holland, prevailed, 1-0, thanks to a first-inning home run by Mike Schmidt.

The Dodgers capitalized on two Philadelphia errors for three unearned runs en route to a 4-1 win in game 2. Fernando Valenzuela, with ninth-inning relief from Tom Niedenfuer, was the winning pitcher; John Denny took the loss. Gary Matthews homered for the Phils.

The Phils won game 3, 7-2, behind the pitching of rookie Charles Hudson and the

hitting of Gary Matthews, who had three hits—including his second homer—and four runs batted in. Bob Welch, the Dodgers' starting pitcher, left the game in the second inning when the bursitis in his hip left him unable to perform. Mike Marshall accounted for the L.A. scoring with a two-run homer.

Steve Carlton's second series win and Gary Matthews' third homer—a three-run blast in the first inning—led the Phils to a 7-2 win in game 4 and the N.L. flag. Mike Schmidt and Sixto Lezcano each added three hits to the attack. Jerry Reuss suffered his second loss.

Game 1

Philadelphia 100 000 000-151
Los Angeles 000 000 000-070
Carlton, Holland (8), and Diaz; Reuss, Niedenfuer (9), and Yeager. W—Carlton, 1-0. L—Reuss, 0-1.
HR—Philadelphia, Schmidt (1).

Game 2

Philadelphia 010 000 000-172
Los Angeles 100 020 01x-461
Denny, Reed (7), and Diaz; Valenzuela, Niedenfuer (9), and Fimble.
W—Valenzuela, 1-0. L—Denny, 0-1.
HR—Philadelphia, Matthews (1).

Game 3

Los Angeles 000 200 000-240
Philadelphia 021 120 10x-791
Welch, Pena (2), Honeycutt (5), Beckwith (5), Zachry (7), and Fimble; Hudson and Diaz.
W—Hudson, 1-0. L—Welch, 0-1. HRs—Los Angeles, Marshall (1); Philadelphia, Matthews (2).

Game 4

Los Angeles .. 000 100 010-2100
Philadelphia .. 300 022 00x-7131
Carlton, Reed (7), Holland (8), and Diaz; Reuss, Beckwith (5), Honeycutt (5), Zachry (7), and Yeager, Fimble (8). W—Carlton, 2-0. L—Reuss, 0-2.
HRs—Los Angeles, Baker (1); Philadelphia, Matthews (3), Lezcano (1).

Gary Matthews, the MVP in the N.L. Championship Series, had three homers and eight RBIs for the pennant-winning Phillies.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES' HITTING

	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVG.
Carlton	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	.200
DeJesus	12	0	3	0	0	0	1	.250
Denny	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Diaz	13	0	2	1	0	0	0	.154
G. Gross	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hayes	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hudson	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Lefebvre	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Lezcano	13	2	4	0	0	1	2	.308
Maddox	11	0	3	1	0	0	1	.273
Matthews	14	4	6	0	0	3	8	.429
Morgan	15	1	1	0	0	0	0	.067
Perez	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1.000
Rose	16	3	6	0	0	0	0	.375
Schmidt	15	5	7	2	0	1	2	.467
Virgil	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

totals 130 16 34 4 0 5 15 262

LOS ANGELES DODGERS' HITTING

Baker	14	4	5	1	0	1	1	.357
Brock	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Fimble	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	.143
Guerrero	12	1	3	1	1	0	2	.250
Landestoy	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Landreaux	14	0	2	0	0	0	1	.143
Maldonado	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Marshall	15	1	2	1	0	1	2	.133
Morales	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Pena	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1.000
Reuss	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Russell	14	1	4	0	0	0	0	.286
Sax	16	0	4	0	0	0	0	.250
Thomas	9	0	4	1	0	0	0	.444
Valenzuela	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Yeager	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	.000

totals 129 8 27 5 1 2 7 209

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES' PITCHING

	G	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Carlton (2-0) ..	2	13 ² / ₃	13	1	1	5	13	0.66
Denny (0-1) ..	1	6	5	3	0	3	3	0.00
Holland (S, 1) ..	2	3	1	0	0	0	3	0.00
Hudson (1-0) ..	1	9	4	2	2	2	9	2.00
Reed	2	3 ¹ / ₃	4	2	1	1	3	2.70

totals 35 27 8 4 11 31 1.03

LOS ANGELES DODGERS' PITCHING

Beckwith	2	2 ¹ / ₃	1	0	0	2	3	0.00
Honeycutt	2	1 ² / ₃	4	4	0	2	2	21.60
Niedenfuer (S, 1) ..	2	2	0	0	0	1	3	0.00
Pena	1	2 ² / ₃	4	2	2	1	3	6.75
Reuss (0-2)	2	12	14	6	6	3	4	4.50
Valenzuela (1-0) ..	1	8	7	1	1	4	5	1.13
Welch (0-1)	1	1 ¹ / ₃	0	2	1	2	0	6.75
Zachry	2	4	2	1	1	2	2	2.25

totals 34 32 16 15 15 22 3.97

COMPOSITE SCORE BY INNINGS

Philadelphia Phillies ..	4	3	1	1	4	2	1	0	—16
Los Angeles Dodgers ..	1	0	0	3	2	0	2	0	—8

Errors: Philadelphia 5 (DeJesus 2, Schmidt, Maddox, Lezcano), Los Angeles 1 (Russell). Double plays: Los Angeles 3. Left on base: Philadelphia 31, Los Angeles 31. Stolen bases: Philadelphia 2 (Rose, Matthews), Los Angeles 3 (Thomas, Russell, Sax). Sacrifices: Philadelphia 3 (Denny, Carlton, Lezcano), Los Angeles 2 (Reuss, Russell). Sacrifice fly: Philadelphia 1 (Lefebvre). Hit by pitch: Los Angeles 2 (Guerrero, by Denny; Yeager, by Carlton). Wild pitches: Philadelphia 2 (Carlton), Los Angeles 4 (Reuss, Valenzuela, Pena, 2). Passed ball: Los Angeles 1 (Fimble). Attendance: 229,918.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Baltimore Orioles vs. Chicago White Sox

The Baltimore Orioles lost the first game of the league championship series to the Chicago White Sox before rebounding for three straight victories to capture their sixth pennant. The Orioles won with outstanding pitching, limiting the league scoring leaders to 28 hits and just two earned runs.

The White Sox made their first postseason appearance in 24 years a successful one with a 2-1 victory in game 1. LaMarr Hoyt survived a rain delay to win his fourteenth straight contest. The Orioles collected only five hits and displayed uncharacteristically poor defense in support of starter and loser Scott McGregor.

Rookie Mike Boddicker pitched a five-hitter and struck out a record-tying 14 batters in a 4-0 Oriole win in game 2. Gary Roenicke homered and scored three runs. Floyd Bannister took the loss.

Eddie Murray belted a three-run homer in the first inning and scored four runs in Baltimore's 11-1 victory in game 3. Mike Flanagan got the win and Sammy Stewart the save. Richard Dotson was the loser.

Tito Landrum's tenth-inning homer broke up a scoreless affair and sent Baltimore to a 3-0 win in game 4 and a berth in the World Series. Britt Burns was the hard-luck starter and loser for Chicago. His team squandered

its best opportunity to score in the seventh inning when Jerry Dybzinski's base-running blunder nullified three hits and a balk. Tipping Martinez, with four innings in relief of starter Storm Davis, was the winner.

Game 1

Chicago..... 001 001 000 - 2 7 0
Baltimore..... 000 000 001 - 1 5 1
Hoyt and Fisk; McGregor, Stewart (7), T. Martinez (8), and Dempsey. W-Hoyt, 1-0. L-McGregor, 0-1.

Game 2

Chicago..... 000 000 000 - 0 5 2
Baltimore..... 010 102 00x - 4 6 0
Bannister, Barojas (7), Lamp (8), and Fisk; Boddicker and Dempsey. W-Boddicker, 1-0. L-Bannister, 0-1. HR-Baltimore, Roenicke (1).

Game 3

Baltimore..... 310 020 014 - 11 8 1
Chicago..... 010 000 000 - 1 6 1
Flanagan, Stewart (6), and Dempsey; Dotson, Tidrow (6), Koosman (9), Lamp (9), and Fisk. W-Flanagan, 1-0. L-Dotson, 0-1. HR-Baltimore, Murray (1).

Game 4

Baltimore..... 000 000 000 3-3 9 0
Chicago..... 000 000 000 0-0 10 0
Davis, T. Martinez (7), and Dempsey; Burns, Barojas (10), Agosto (10), Lamp (10), and Fisk. W-T. Martinez, 1-0. L-Burns, 0-1. HR-Baltimore, Landrum (1).

BALTIMORE ORIOLES' HITTING

	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVG.
Ayala	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Bumbry	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	.125
Cruz	15	0	2	0	0	0	1	.133
Dauer	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Dempsey	12	1	2	0	0	0	0	.167
Dwyer	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	.250
Ford	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	.200
Landrum	10	2	2	0	0	1	1	.200
Lowenstein	6	0	1	1	0	0	2	.167
Murray	15	5	4	0	0	1	3	.267
Nolan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Ripken	15	5	6	2	0	0	1	.400
Roenicke	4	4	3	1	0	1	4	.750
Shelby	9	1	2	0	0	0	0	.222
Singleton	12	0	3	2	0	0	1	.250
totals	129	19	28	9	0	3	17	.217

CHICAGO WHITE SOX' HITTING

Baines	16	0	2	0	0	0	0	.125
Cruz	12	0	4	0	0	0	0	.333
Dybzinski	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	.250
Fisk	17	0	3	1	0	0	0	.176
Fletcher	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hairston	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Kittle	7	1	2	1	0	0	0	.286
R. Law	18	1	7	1	0	0	0	.389
V. Law	11	0	2	0	0	0	1	.182
Luzinski	15	0	2	1	0	0	0	.133
Paciorek	16	1	4	0	0	0	1	.250
Squires	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Walker	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000
totals	133	3	28	4	0	0	2	.211

BALTIMORE ORIOLES' PITCHING

	G	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Boddicker (1-0)	1	9	5	0	0	3	14	0.00
Davis	1	6	5	0	0	2	2	0.00
Flanagan (1-0)	1	5	5	1	1	0	1	1.80
T. Martinez (1-0)	2	6	5	0	0	3	5	0.00
McGregor (0-1)	1	6 2/3	6	2	1	3	2	1.35
Stewart (S, 1)	2	4 1/3	2	0	0	1	2	0.00
totals		37	28	3	2	12	26	0.49

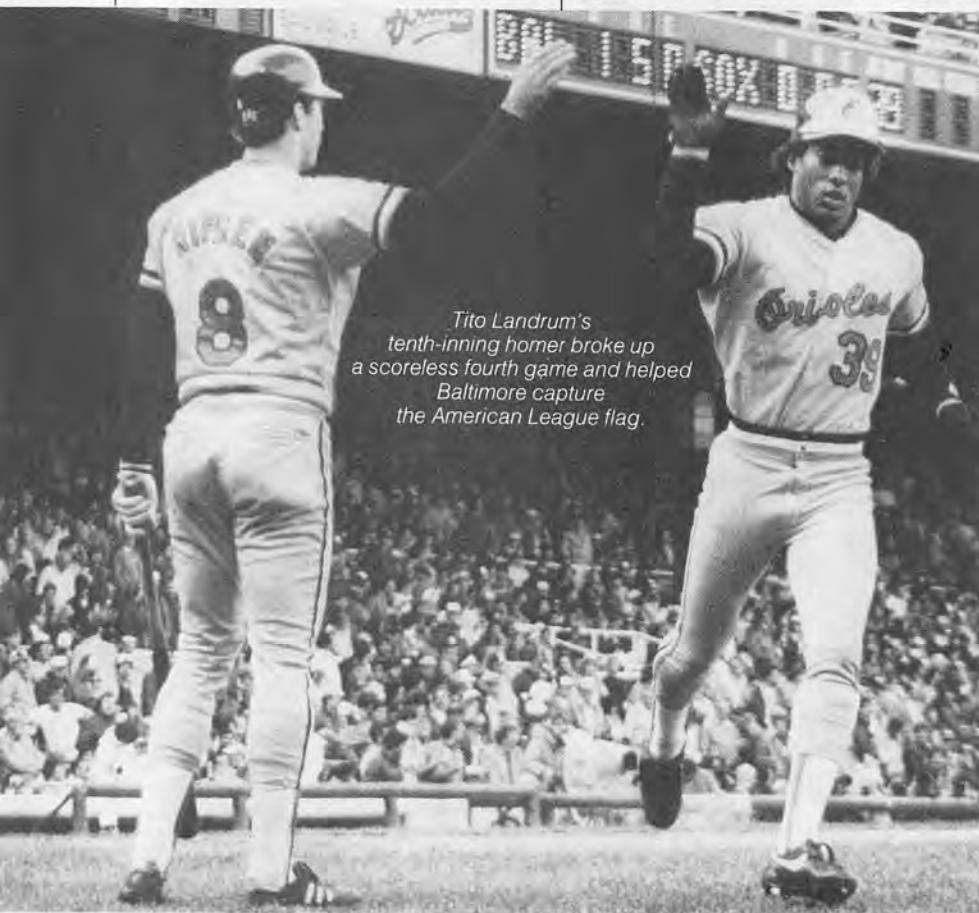
CHICAGO WHITE SOX' PITCHING

Agosto	1	1/3	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Bannister (0-1)	1	6	5	4	3	1	5	4.50
Barojas	2	1	4	2	2	0	0	18.00
Burns (0-1)	1	9 1/3	6	1	1	5	8	0.96
Dotson (0-1)	1	5	6	6	6	3	3	10.80
Hoyt (1-0)	1	9	5	1	1	0	4	1.00
Koosman	1	1/3	1	3	2	2	0	54.00
Lamp	3	2	0	1	0	2	1	0.00
Tidrow	1	3	1	1	1	3	3	3.00
totals		36	28	19	16	16	24	4.00

COMPOSITE SCORE BY INNINGS

Baltimore Orioles	3	2	0	1	2	2	0	1	5	3	—19
Chicago White Sox	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—3

Errors: Baltimore 2 (Murray, Dempsey), Chicago 3 (V. Law, Rodriguez, Hairston). Double plays: Baltimore 4, Chicago 5. Left on base: Baltimore 24, Chicago 35. Stolen bases: Baltimore 2 (Shelby, Murray), Chicago 4 (R. Law, 2, Cruz 2). Sacrifices: Baltimore 1 (Dauer), Chicago 1 (Fletcher). Sacrifice Flies: Baltimore 3 (Nolan, Dauer, Ayala). Hit by pitch: Baltimore 2 (Ripken, by Dotson; Roenicke, by Burns), Chicago 3 (Luzinski and Paciorek, by Boddicker; Kittle, by Flanagan). Wild pitch: Baltimore 1 (T. Martinez). Balk: Baltimore 2 (McGregor, T. Martinez). Attendance: 195,748



Tito Landrum's tenth-inning homer broke up a scoreless fourth game and helped Baltimore capture the American League flag.

WORLD SERIES RECAP



*Rick Dempsey, the Series MVP,
hit a home run in the third
inning of the fifth game.*

GAME ONE The 80th World Series matched the American League champion Baltimore Orioles, making their sixth appearance in the fall classic, against the Philadelphia Phillies, representing the National League for the fourth time. The Phillies prevailed, 2-1, in the opening game behind the pitching of John Denny and Al Holland and the slugging of Joe Morgan and Garry Maddox.

The Orioles scored first, on a one-out solo home run by Jim Dwyer in the bottom of the first inning. Dwyer belted a 3-2 fastball over the right-field fence to become the eighteenth player to hit a home run in his first Series at-bat.

Morgan tied the contest in the sixth when he drove Scott McGregor's 1-2 curve into the seats in right, and Maddox untied it two innings later when he ripped McGregor's first serve over the left-field fence. An acrobatic catch by left fielder John Lowenstein robbed Bo Diaz of a home run on the very next pitch. All along, Denny was disposing of the Baltimore batters, surrendering just three singles until Al Bumby connected for a two-out double in the eighth. Denny then gave way to Holland, who retired pinch hitter Dan Ford and then set down Cal Ripken, Eddie Murray, and Gary Roenicke—the heart of the Oriole offense—in order in the ninth.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Morgan, 2b	4	1	2	1	5	0
Rose, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Schmidt, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Lezcano, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
dHayes, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Matthews, lf	3	0	1	4	0	0
Maddox, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Diaz, c	3	0	0	7	0	0
DeJesus, ss	3	0	0	1	5	0
Denny, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Holland, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	5	27	11	0

Baltimore	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bumby, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Stewart, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Martinez, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dwyer, rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
cFord, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ripken, ss	4	0	1	1	4	0
Murray, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Lowenstein, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
eRoenicke	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dauer, 2b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Cruz, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	1
Dempsey, c	2	0	0	6	1	0
aShelby, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McGregor, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
bNolan, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	1	5	27	9	1

PHILADELPHIA	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2
BALTIMORE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Philadelphia	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Denny (Winner)	7½	5	1	1	0	5
Holland (Save)	1½	0	0	0	0	1

Baltimore	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
McGregor (Loser)	8	4	2	2	0	6
Stewart	¾	1	0	0	0	1
T. Martinez	½	0	0	0	0	0

Base on balls—None. Strikeouts—By Denny 5 (Lowenstein, Dauer, Cruz, Ripken, Shelby), by Holland 1 (Murray), by McGregor 6 (Rose, Maddox, DeJesus, Lezcano, Denny, Schmidt), by Stewart 1 (Schmidt). Game-winning RBI—Maddox.

aStruck out for Dempsey in eighth. bGrounded out for McGregor in eighth. cFlied out for Dwyer in eighth. dGrounded out for Lezcano in ninth. eFlied out for Lowenstein in ninth. Runs batted in—Morgan, Maddox, Dwyer. Two-base hit—Bumby. Home runs—Dwyer, Morgan, Maddox. Caught stealing—Morgan. Double play—Ripken, Dauer and Murray. Left on bases—Philadelphia 2, Baltimore 4. Umpires—Springstead (A.L.) plate, Vargo (N.L.) first, Clark (A.L.) second, Pulli (N.L.) third, Palermo (A.L.) left, Rennert (N.L.) right. Time—2:22. Attendance—52,204.

GAME TWO As he did in the A.L. championship series, Baltimore's Mike Boddicker revived his team with a strong pitching performance and the Orioles recovered from their opening-game setback to win the second game, 4-1, and tie the Series. The rookie right-hander, whose five-hit shutout over the White Sox a week earlier evened that series, limited the Phillies to three singles and one unearned run.

Philadelphia's lone run came in the fourth inning, when Joe Morgan singled, stole second, moved to third following a one-out error by first baseman Eddie Murray, and scored on Joe Lefebvre's sacrifice fly.

The Orioles countered in the fifth with three runs off Charlie Hudson, Philly's frosh right-hander. John Lowenstein's leadoff homer tied the score. Rich Dauer followed with a single, and the next batter, Todd Cruz, attempting a sacrifice, dropped a bunt that third baseman Mike Schmidt retrieved but had to hold when the second baseman Morgan was late covering first base. Rick Dempsey then doubled to right to drive in Dauer and send Cruz to third, whence he scored on Boddicker's sac fly. It was only the second at-bat in Boddicker's professional career.

Baltimore scored a fourth run in the seventh off Larry Andersen, the third of four Philadelphia pitchers, on singles by John Shelby, Dan Ford, and Cal Ripken.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Morgan, 2b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Rose, 1b	4	0	0	7	1	0
Schmidt, 3b	4	0	0	0	3	0
Lefebvre, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Matthews, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
G. Gross, cf	3	0	0	5	0	0
Diaz, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
cSamuel	0	0	0	0	0	0
Virgil, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
DeJesus, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Hudson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hernandez, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
bHayes	1	0	0	0	0	0
Andersen, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
dPerez	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	3	24	7	0

Baltimore	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Bumby, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
aShelby, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Ford, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Ripken, ss	3	0	1	1	6	0
Murray, 1b	4	0	0	13	1	1
Lowenstein, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0
eLandrum, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dauer, 2b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Cruz, 3b	4	1	1	0	3	0
Dempsey, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Boddicker, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	32	4	9	27	15	1

PHILADELPHIA	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1
BALTIMORE	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0 x—4
PHILADELPHIA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO		
Hudson (Loser)	4½	5	3	3	0	3		
Hernandez	¾	0	0	0	1	1		
Andersen	2	3	1	1	0	1		
Reed	1	1	0	0	1	1		
BALTIMORE								
Boddicker (Winner)	9	3	1	0	0	6		

Bases on balls. Off Hernandez 1 (Ripken), off Reed 1 (Dempsey). Strikeouts By Hudson 3 (Boddicker, Bumby, Ford), by Hernandez 1 (Shelby), by Andersen 1 (Dempsey) by Reed 1 (Dauer), by Boddicker 6 (Morgan, Rose, Schmidt, Lefebvre, Diaz, Hayes). Game-winning RBI—Dempsey.

aCalled out on strikes for Bumby in fifth. bStruck out for Hernandez in sixth. cRan for Diaz in eighth. dGrounded into double play for Andersen in eighth. eRan for Lowenstein in eighth. Runs batted in—Lefebvre, Ripken, Lowenstein, Dempsey, Boddicker. Two-base hits—Lowenstein, Dempsey. Home run—Lowenstein. Stolen bases—Morgan, Landrum. Sacrifice flies—Lefebvre, Boddicker. Hit by pitcher—By Hernandez (Ford). Double play—Dauer, Ripken and Murray. Left on bases—Philadelphia 2, Baltimore 8. Umpires—Vargo (N.L.) plate, Clark (A.L.) first, Pulli (N.L.) second, Palermo (A.L.) third, Rennert (N.L.) left, Springstead (A.L.) right. Time 2:27. Attendance—52,132.



GAME THREE The Series shifted to Philadelphia, where the Orioles took a two-games-to-one lead with a 3-2 victory. The contest was remarkable from the start for the absence of one veteran home-team star and the presence of another. Pete Rose, who had started in each of his 31 games in six World Series, was benched; Steve Carlton became the first

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300-game winner to pitch in a Series since Grover Cleveland Alexander in 1928.

The Phils struck first when Gary Matthews, whose three home runs in the league championship series had earned him MVP honors, belted a 1-0 pitch from Baltimore starter Mike Flanagan over the fence in left-center field leading off the second inning. Joe Morgan took over the score 2-0 an inning later with his second homer of the Series.

The Orioles cut the Philly lead in half in the sixth on a solo blast off the bat of Dan Ford, then went ahead on a two-out rally in the seventh that looked like this: a Rick Dempsey double, a wild pitch, an RBI-single by pinch hitter Benny Ayala—after which Al Holland took over for Carlton—a single by John Shelby, and an error by shortstop Ivan DeJesus on Ford's hard-hit ground ball.

Jim Palmer, in his ninth Series game and his first in relief, was the winning pitcher. Tippy Martinez collected a save.

Baltimore	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Shelby, cf	4	0	2	5	0	0
Ford, rf	3	1	1	1	1	0
Ripken, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Murray, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Roenicke, lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Dauer, 2b	4	0	0	4	2	0
Cruz, 3b	3	0	0	0	4	1
Dempsey, c	4	1	2	5	2	0
Flanagan, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
aSingleton	1	0	0	0	0	0
Palmer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
bAyala	1	1	1	0	0	0
Stewart, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
T. Martinez, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	27	13	1

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Morgan, 2b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Lezcano, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Hayes, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Schmidt, 3b	4	0	0	0	4	1
Matthews, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Perez, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Maddox, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Diaz, c	3	0	2	11	0	0
cLefebvre	0	0	0	0	0	0
dRose	1	0	0	0	0	0
DeJesus, ss	3	0	2	0	5	1
Carlton, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Holland, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
eVirgil	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	8	27	11	2

BALTIMORE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Flanagan	4	6	2	2	1	1
Palmer (Winner)	2	2	0	0	1	1
Stewart	1	0	0	0	0	3
T. Martinez (Save)	1	0	0	0	0	0
PHILADELPHIA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Carlton (Loser)	6 2/3	5	3	2	3	7
Holland	2 1/3	1	0	0	0	4

Bases on balls—Off Flanagan 1 (Matthews), off Palmer 1 (DeJesus), off Stewart 1 (Morgan), off Carlton 3 (Cruz, Ford, Ripken). Strikeouts—By Flanagan 1 (Maddox), by Palmer 1 (Carlton), by Stewart 3 (Lezcano, Schmidt, Matthews), by Carlton 7 (Shelby 2, Ripken, Murray 2, Flanagan, Singleton), by Holland 4 (Roenicke, Dauer, Dempsey, Stewart). Game-winning RBI—None.

aCalled out on strikes for Flanagan in fifth. bSingle home one run for Palmer in seventh. cAnnounced as pinch hitter for Diaz in ninth. dGrounded out for Lefebvre in ninth. eGrounded out for Holland in ninth. Runs batted in—Ford, Ayala, Morgan, Matthews. Two-base hits—Dempsey 2.

Home runs—Matthews, Morgan, Ford. Caught stealing—Morgan. Wild pitches—Palmer, Carlton. Double plays—DeJesus, Morgan and Perez; Schmidt, Morgan and Perez. Left on bases—Baltimore 6, Philadelphia 7. Umpires—Clark (A.L.) plate, Pulfi (N.L.) first, Palermo (A.L.) second, Rennett (N.L.) third, Springstead (A.L.) left, Vargo (N.L.) right. Time—2:35. Attendance—65,792.



GAME FOUR The Orioles moved to within one game of their third World Series championship with a 5-4 victory. It was their third come-from-behind win in as many games.

Baltimore took an early lead with a pair of runs in the fourth. Consecutive singles by Jim Dwyer, Cal Ripken, and Eddie Murray loaded the bases against Philadelphia starter John Denny, the N.L. Cy Young Award-winner. Following a John Lowenstein strikeout, Rich Dauer delivered a two-run single to right, Denny escaped further damage by fanning Todd Cruz and pitcher Storm Davis.

The Phils got a run back in their half of the inning when with one out Pete Rose—reinstated to the first team—doubled, Mike Schmidt singled, and Joe Lefebvre doubled. A walk to Gary Matthews loaded the bases, but the Phils squandered an opportunity for more scoring when Greg Gross grounded into a double play.

The Phils went ahead in the fifth on a double by Bo Diaz, a wild pitch, a single by Denny and a throwing error by Lowenstein, and a double by Rose.

The Orioles recaptured the lead in the sixth with the aid of a record four pinch hitters. A one-out single by Lowenstein, a double by Dauer, an intentional walk to Joe Nolan (batting for Cruz), and an unintentional pass to Ken Singleton (batting for Rick Dempsey) accounted for the tying run. John Shelby, hitting for Davis and facing Willie Hernandez, in relief of Denny, drove in the fourth Bird run with a sac fly. Dan Ford, batting for Al Bumby, fanned against Ron Reed for the third out.

Baltimore tallied again in the seventh on a double by Dwyer and a single by Dauer. It became an important run because the Phillies

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Al Holland, Joe Morgan (center), and
Pete Rose observe the action in
game three of the Series.

BALTIMORE ORIOLES' BATTING AND FIELDING RECORDS

Player	g	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	so	bb	avg.	po	a	e	pct.
Bumbry, cf	4	11	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	.091	12	0	0	1.000
Stewart, p	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
T. Martinez, p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Dwyer, rf	2	8	3	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	.375	2	0	0	1.000
Ford, rf	5	12	1	2	0	0	1	5	1	.167	5	1	0	1.000	
Ripken, ss	5	18	2	3	0	0	0	1	4	3	.167	3	15	0	1.000
Murray, 1b	5	20	2	5	0	0	2	3	4	1	.250	49	1	1	.980
Lowenstein, lf	4	13	2	5	1	0	1	1	3	0	.385	4	0	1	.800
Roenicke, lf	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000	2	1	0	1.000
Dauer, 2b	5	19	2	4	1	0	0	3	3	0	.211	14	7	0	1.000
Cruz, 3b	5	16	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	.125	0	17	2	.895
Dempsey, c	5	13	3	5	4	0	1	2	2	.385	27	4	0	1.000	
Shelby, cf	5	9	1	4	0	0	0	1	4	0	.444	10	0	0	1.000
McGregor, p	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Nolan, c	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000	3	0	0	1.000	
Landrum, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1.000
Boddicker, p	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.000	1	2	0	1.000
Flanagan, p	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Singleton, ph	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	.000	0	0	0	1.000	
Palmer, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Ayala, ph	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	.000
Davis, p	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000	0	1	0	1.000
Sakata, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	2	0	1.000
totals	5	164	18	35	8	0	6	17	37	10	.213	135	51	4	.979

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES' BATTING AND FIELDING RECORDS

player	g	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	so	bb	avg.	po	a	e	pct.
Morgan,2b	5	19	3	5	0	1	2	2	3	2	.263	8	11	0	1.000
Rose,1b	5	16	1	5	1	0	0	1	3	1	.313	27	4	0	1.000
Schmidt,3b	5	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	.050	1	10	1	.917
Lezcano,rf	4	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	.125	2	0	0	1.000
Hayes,rf	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	1	0	0	1.000
Matthews,lf	5	16	1	4	0	0	1	1	2	2	.250	15	0	0	1.000
Maddox,cf	4	12	1	3	1	0	1	1	2	0	.250	7	0	0	1.000
Diaz,c	5	15	1	5	1	0	0	0	2	1	.333	37	1	1	.974
DeJesus,ss	5	16	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	.125	4	13	1	.944
Denny,p	2	5	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	.200	3	1	0	1.000
Holland,p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Lefebvre,rf	3	5	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	.200	3	0	0	1.000
G. Gross,cf	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	8	0	0	1.000
Samuel,ph	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Virgil,c	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	.500	1	0	0	1.000
Hudson,p	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Hernandez,p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1.000
Andersen,p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	1	0	1.000
Perez,1b	4	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	.200	13	1	0	1.000
Reed,p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Carlton,p	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Dernier,pr	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Bystrom,p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
totals	5	159	9	31	4	1	4	9	29	7	.195	132	42	3	.983

GAME FIVE Mindful of their failures in the 1979 Series against Pittsburgh, when the Orioles dropped the final three games, the Birds beat the Phillies, 5-0, for the fourth straight time and won their first World Series championship since 1970. It was the first Series triumph for the American League in five years.

Scott McGregor, Baltimore's opening-game starter, limited Philadelphia to five hits and was supported by three home runs—two by Eddie Murray, who broke out of a 2-for-16 slump at a most opportune time for his team. Murray's round trippers, a solo shot leading off the second and a two-run blast in the fourth, were sandwiched around a leadoff homer by Rick Dempsey in the third. The final Baltimore run came in the fifth inning after a double by Dempsey, an error by Bo Diaz, a wild pitch by reliever Marty Bystrom, and a sacrifice fly by Al Bumbry.

Dempsey, with five extra-base hits in the Series, was named the Most Valuable Player.

Baltimore	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bumbry, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
cShelby, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ford, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Landrum, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ripken, ss	3	1	0	3	0	0
Murray, 1b	4	2	3	6	0	0
Lowenstein, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
bRoenicke, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dauer, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Cruz, 3b	4	0	0	0	6	0
Dempsey, c	3	2	2	7	0	0
McGregor, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	5	5	27	7	0

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Morgan, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Rose, rf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Schmidt, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Matthews, lf	4	0	0	6	0	0
Perez, 1b	4	0	0	5	1	0
Maddox, cf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Diaz, c	2	0	0	7	0	1
DeJesus, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Hudson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bystrom, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
aSamuel	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hernandez, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
dLezcano	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	5	27	6	1

BALTIMORE	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	—5
PHILADELPHIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

BALTIMORE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
McGregor (Winner)	9	5	0	0	2	6

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hudson (Loser)	4*	4	5	5	1	3
Bystrom	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hernandez	3	0	0	0	0	3
Reed	1	1	0	0	0	0

*Pitched to one batter in fifth.

Bases on balls—Off McGregor 2 (Morgan, Diaz), off Hudson 1 (Ripken). Strikeouts—By McGregor 6 (Morgan, Perez 2, Hudson, Matthews, Schmidt), by Hudson 3 (Ford 2, Cruz), by Bystrom 1 (Ripken), by Hernandez 3 (Murray, Roenicke, Ford). Game-winning RBI—Murray.

aFlied out for Bystrom in fifth. bStruck out for Lowenstein in sixth. cFlied out for Bumbry in eighth. dGrounded out for Hernandez in eighth. Runs batted in—Bumbry, Murray 3, Dempsey. Two-base hits—Dempsey, Maddox. Three-base hit—Morgan. Home runs—Murray 2, Dempsey. Sacrifice fly—Bumbry. Wild pitch—Bystrom. Double play—Cruz, Dauer and Murray. Left on bases—Baltimore 2, Philadelphia 6. Umpires—Palermo (A.L.) plate, Rennert (N.L.) first, Springstead (A.L.) second, Vargo (N.L.) third, Clark (A.L.) left, Pulli (N.L.) right. Time—2:21.

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McGregor	2	1	17	9	2	2	12	0	0	1	1	.500	2	1.06
Stewart	3	0	5	2	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0.00
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Boddicker	1	1	9	3	1	0	6	0	0	1	0	1.000	0	0.00
Flanagan	1	0	4	6	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	2	4.50
Palmer	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1.000	0	0.00
Davis	1	0	5	6	3	1	3	0	1	1	0	1.000	3	5.40
totals	5	2	45	31	9	7	29	0	2	4	1	.800	8	1.60

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES' PITCHING RECORDS

pitcher	g	cg	ip	h	r	bb	so	hb	wp	w	l	pct.	er	era
Denny	2	0	13	12	5	3	9	0	0	1	1	.500	5	3.46
Holland	2	0	3 2/3	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0.00
Hudson	2	0	8 1/3	9	8	1	6	0	0	0	2	.000	8	8.64
Hernandez	3	0	4	0	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0.00
Andersen	2	0	4	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	1	2.25
Reed	3	0	3 1/3	4	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	.000	1	2.70
Carlton	1	0	6 2/3	5	3	3	7	0	1	0	1	.000	2	2.70
Bystrom	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.000	0	0.00
totals	5	0	44	35	18	10	37	1	2	1	4	.200	17	3.48

COMPOSITE SCORE BY INNINGS

Baltimore	1	1	1	4	4	3	4	0	0	18
Philadelphia	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	1	9
Game-winning RBI—Maddox, Dempsey, Shelby, Murray. DP—Baltimore 5, Philadelphia 3. LOB—Baltimore 28, Philadelphia 23. 2B—Bumbry, Lowenstein, Dempsey 4, Lefebvre, Diaz, Rose, Dauer, Dwyer, Maddox. 3B—Morgan. HR—Dwyer, Morgan 2, Maddox, Lowenstein, Matthews, Ford, Murray 2, Dempsey. SB—Morgan, Landrum. SF—Lefebvre, Boddicker, Shelby, Bumbry. Saves—Holland, T. Martinez 2. Balk—Stewart. Umpires—Springstead (A.L.), Vargo (N.L.), Clark (A.L.), Pulli (N.L.), Palermo (A.L.), Rennert (N.L.). T—2:22 (1st game), 2:27 (2d game), 2:35 (3rd game), 2:50 (4th game), 2:21 (5th game). A—52,204 (1st game), 52,132 (2d game), 65,792 (3rd game), 66,947 (4th game), 67,064 (5th game).										

WORLD SERIES MVPs

1955... Johnny Podres, Brooklyn Dodgers	1974... Rollie Fingers, Oakland A's
1956... Don Larsen, New York Yankees	1975... Pete Rose, Cincinnati Reds
1957... Lew Burdette, Milwaukee Braves	1976... Johnny Bench, Cincinnati Reds
1958... Bob Turley, New York Yankees	1977... Reggie Jackson, New York Yankees
1959... Larry Sherry, Los Angeles Dodgers	1978... Bucky Dent, New York Yankees
1960... Bobby Richardson, New York Yankees	1979... Willie Stargell, Pittsburgh Pirates
1961... Whitey Ford, New York Yankees	1980... Mike Schmidt, Philadelphia Phillies
1962... Ralph Terry, New York Yankees	1981... Ron Cey, Pedro Guerrero, Steve Yeager, Los Angeles Dodgers
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1964... Bob Gibson, St. Louis Cardinals	1983... Rick Dempsey, Baltimore Orioles
1965... Sandy Koufax, Los Angeles Dodgers	
1966... Frank Robinson, Baltimore Orioles	
1967... Bob Gibson, St. Louis Cardinals	
1968... Mickey Lolich, Detroit Tigers	
1969... Donn Clendenon, New York Mets	
1970... Brooks Robinson, Baltimore Orioles	
1971... Roberto Clemente, Pittsburgh Pirates	
1972... Gene Tenace, Oakland A's	
1973... Reggie Jackson, Oakland A's	



Benny Ayala scores the go-ahead run in the Orioles' 3-2 triumph in the third game. Phils' catcher Bo Diaz stands helplessly by.

PAST WORLD SERIES

year	winner	loser
1903	Boston A, 5	Pittsburgh N, 3
1904	No Series	
1905	New York N, 4	Philadelphia A, 1
1906	Chicago A, 4	Chicago N, 2
1907	Chicago N, 4	Detroit A, 0; 1 tie
1908	Chicago N, 4	Detroit A, 1
1909	Pittsburgh N, 4	Detroit A, 3
1910	Philadelphia A, 4	Chicago N, 1
1911	Philadelphia A, 4	New York N, 2
1912	Boston A, 4	New York N, 3; 1 tie
1913	Philadelphia A, 4	New York N, 1
1914	Boston N, 4	Philadelphia A, 0
1915	Boston A, 4	Philadelphia N, 1
1916	Boston A, 4	Brooklyn N, 1
1917	Chicago A, 4	New York N, 2
1918	Boston A, 4	Chicago N, 2
1919	Cincinnati N, 5	Chicago A, 3
1920	Cleveland A, 5	Brooklyn N, 2
1921	New York N, 5	New York A, 3
1922	New York N, 4	New York A, 0; 1 tie
1923	New York A, 4	New York N, 2
1924	Washington A, 4	New York N, 3
1925	Pittsburgh N, 4	Washington A, 3
1926	St. Louis N, 4	New York A, 3
1927	New York A, 4	Pittsburgh N, 0
1928	New York A, 4	St. Louis N, 0
1929	Philadelphia A, 4	Chicago N, 1
1930	Philadelphia A, 4	St. Louis N, 2
1931	St. Louis N, 4	Philadelphia A, 3
1932	New York A, 4	Chicago N, 0
1933	New York N, 4	Washington A, 1
1934	St. Louis N, 4	Detroit A, 3
1935	Detroit A, 4	Chicago N, 2
1936	New York A, 4	New York N, 2
1937	New York A, 4	New York N, 1
1938	New York A, 4	Chicago N, 0
1939	New York A, 4	Cincinnati N, 0
1940	Cincinnati N, 4	Detroit A, 3
1941	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 1
1942	St. Louis N, 4	New York A, 1
1943	New York A, 4	St. Louis N, 1
1944	St. Louis N, 4	St. Louis A, 2
1945	Detroit A, 4	Chicago N, 3
1946	St. Louis N, 4	Boston A, 3
1947	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 3
1948	Cleveland A, 4	Boston N, 2
1949	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 1
1950	New York A, 4	Philadelphia N, 0
1951	New York A, 4	New York N, 2
1952	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 3
1953	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 2
1954	New York N, 4	Cleveland A, 0
1955	Brooklyn N, 4	New York A, 3
1956	New York A, 4	Brooklyn N, 3
1957	Milwaukee N, 4	New York A, 3
1958	New York A, 4	Milwaukee N, 3
1959	Los Angeles N, 4	Chicago A, 2
1960	Pittsburgh N, 4	New York A, 3
1961	New York A, 4	Cincinnati N, 1
1962	New York A, 4	San Francisco N, 3
1963	Los Angeles N, 4	New York A, 0
1964	St. Louis N, 4	New York A, 3
1965	Los Angeles N, 4	Minnesota A, 3
1966	Baltimore A, 4	Los Angeles N, 0
1967	St. Louis N, 4	Boston A, 3
1968	Detroit A, 4	St. Louis N, 3
1969	New York N, 4	Baltimore A, 1
1970	Baltimore A, 4	Cincinnati N, 1
1971	Pittsburgh N, 4	Baltimore A, 3
1972	Oakland A, 4	Cincinnati N, 3
1973	Oakland A, 4	New York N, 3
1974	Oakland A, 4	Los Angeles N, 1
1975	Cincinnati N, 4	Boston A, 3
1976	Cincinnati N, 4	New York A, 0
1977	New York A, 4	Los Angeles N, 2
1978	New York A, 4	Los Angeles N, 2
1979	Pittsburgh N, 4	Baltimore A, 3
1980	Philadelphia N, 4	Kansas City A, 2
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MINOR LEAGUES

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PRESENTING THE 1984 MINOR-LEAGUE ALL-STAR TEAM

Selecting an all-star team at season's end is difficult, no matter what the league. Such a vote, by classification—rookie, A, AA, AAA—is tougher yet. But how about picking an all-star team from the entire National Association—all of the minor leagues. And not after the season, but before! To do so, one must basically avoid the player who had a successful AAA season the year before, particularly if his parent club is weak or has the slightest hint of a job opening. He could be spending the entire year, or at least a good part of it, in the majors. Predicting anything regarding the minors is risky. An injury on the big club could change the personnel situation a great deal.

Nevertheless, let's rub that pine tar up the bat, step in, and swing from the heels. And if a lot of our all-star selections wind up spending time in 1984 in the majors, good for them. It means they've begun to fulfill their promise earlier than we anticipated.

Let's start with our pitcher of 1984, right-hander Dwight Gooden. Though just a teenager (he was 19 in November), and one who spent all last season throwing 90 mph-plus fastballs and outstanding curves in A-ball, Gooden has a chance to pitch in Shea Stadium this year. The top-rated prospect out of a bumper 1983 crop in the Carolina League, Gooden led the league in wins (19-4), ERA (2.50), and strikeouts (an incredible 300 in 191 innings). For an encore, he leapfrogged to AAA for postseason action.

After losing a Governors' Cup semifinal game to Columbus, Gooden went the route against Richmond, allowing one run, five hits, walking two, and fanning eight as the Tides earned the right to head for Louisville and the AAA World Series. There, Gooden authored the only complete game of the Series, four-hitting Denver for a 4-2 victory. The Tides went on to win the Series. It would figure that because of his youth, Gooden would climb the Mets' ladder rung by rung. That would mean a springtime stop, perhaps in Jackson (Texas League), before moving to Tidewater.

Another Met chattel, though recently acquired, is worthy of being the left-handed pitcher on this dream team for 1984. Unfortunately—or fortunately for him—Sid Fernandez may prove worthy of a spot in the New Yorkers' rotation. And the Mets could use a southpaw starter. But the 20-year-old Fernandez, acquired in a deal with the Los Angeles Dodgers in December, would have to make the jump from AA. The fireballer with the short delivery fanned a league-leading 209 in 153 innings to accentuate a 13-4 mark and a 2.82 ERA for San Antonio. The year before, he was overpowering in the Florida State League with stats of 8-1, 1.91, 137 strikeouts in 85 innings.

If Fernandez stays at Shea, then our all-star lefty is a Puerto Rican native, Juan

Nieves, who was not eligible for the draft upon graduation from a Connecticut prep school. But he burned up the Midwest League (A-ball) upon his July arrival, going 7-1, with a 1.30 ERA and 89 strikeouts in 69 innings. Although he made just 12 appearances at Beloit (Wisc.), Milwaukee knows the bidding war for this prospect proved worth it. He could climb to AAA this year.

Because good backstopping is at such a premium, it's difficult to predict that a catching prospect will remain down on the farm. More so if he was considered the No. 1 catching prospect in AAA in '83. But because the American League West champion White Sox still have Pudge Fisk around (though the veteran could operate as a DH or at first), it's possible that Joel Skinner will play another year in the American Association. The youngest son of former major-league outfielder Bob Skinner, an ex-Pirate, Joel was the Bucs' 34th pick in the June '79 draft. But the Chisox tapped him in the major league's initial compensation in February '82 for the loss of reliever Ed Farmer to Philadelphia. Skinner did not have earth-shaking offensive stats (.260, 12 HR, 50 RBI), but he was charged with just five errors in 108 games.

If Skinner spends the year in the Windy City, our all-star catcher is John Gibbons, one of the Mets' three first-round draft picks in 1980. Young and an outstanding defensive backstop, Gibbons had his best offensive year—.298, 18 HR, 67 RBI for Jackson. He should work well with the good arms the Mets always seem to have at Tidewater.

Clearly the best first baseman in the minors last year was Richmond's Gerald Perry (.314, 13 HR, 71 RBI, 26 SB). But after his two fine AAA years, Atlanta has to make room for him at first, or try to see if he can get some big-league playing time in the outfield. So we'll go with Reading's Francisco Melendez (.298, 5 HR, 75 RBI), the youngest player (19) in the Eastern League last season. He was considered that league's best defensive first sacker in nearly a decade. And he'll develop power, say the scouts. A teen-ager who drove in 75 runs in AA, he is a great prospect.

Second base finds slim pickings, because the best of the 1983 farm crop, Juan Samuel and Tim Lincecum, will be performing for the Phillies and Twins, respectively, in '84. So how about Vic Rodriguez? The Oriole chattel batted .298 for Charlotte, where he showed some sock (14 HR, 77 RBI) and also made contact (just 44 strikeouts in 571 at-bats). Not swift afoot, Rodriguez can turn the double play and should prosper in AAA at Rochester.

Because it's hard finding a standout at third base—Richmond's Brook Jacoby went to Cleveland in the Len Barker deal and figures to be in the majors this spring—our all-



star pick at the hot corner is not really a stickout third sacker. At least that's what a lot of insiders are saying about Donell Nixon, the fleet-footed brother of Yankee outfield candidate Otis Nixon, himself a burner. Young Donell stole 144 bases in 168 tries last season at Bakersfield (California, Class A). That's 14 more than Rickey Henderson's old pro mark, but one shy of what Macon's Vince Coleman did last year. Nixon also batted .321 and scored 115 runs. Sure-handed but with a suspect arm, he may wind up in the outfield.

Why is it that there are always so many prospects at shortstop, but not that many great ones in the majors. The best shortstop in the minors the past couple of years has been Syracuse's Tony Fernandez, who simply has to stick with Toronto in 1984. We'll stay with the same International League for our all-star shortstop—Bobby Meacham of Columbus (.262, 9, 60), who figures to spend another year in AAA. St. Louis's No.



1 pick in 1981, Meacham came over to the Yankees after spending '82 in A-ball as a Card farm hand at St. Petersburg.

There's plenty of outfield talent likely to climb the final rung on the ladder from AAA to the big leagues: teammates Brad Komminsk and Albert Hall, plus Mike Young, all from the International League; Kevin McReynolds and Doug Frobel of the Pacific Coast League; Joe Carter and Mike Fuentes from the American Association. But there is no shortage of fine outfielders who, while making it to AAA in 1983, will probably stick around for another year of grooming. The Mets, last year's top organization at the minor-league level, have two superb prospects. For a man in the middle, we'll go with Herman Winningham, a youngster who batted .354, stole 17 bases, and covered gaps like a sprinter at Jackson before moving to Tidewater. With the Tides, he hit a very respectable .265 before being stopped by an August injury. Terry Blocker, the Mets' No. 1 pick in 1981, batted .308 with 54 RBI and 18 stolen bases in half a season at Jackson, then moved up to handle AAA pitching with similar success (.305, 32 RBI, 24 SB). For

our third outfielder we'll split the vote between Dion James (.336, 8 HR, 68 RBI at Vancouver) and John Morris (.288, 23, 92 at Jacksonville). The lefty-hitting James was fourth in the PCL batting derby, stole 22 bases, was no sure out against lefties, and made contact (just 33 strikeouts in 467 at-bats). He figures to need another year in AAA, but as insurance I've got Morris, Kansas City's top draft choice a year ago out of Seton Hall. Morris was the Southern League's MVP, yet did not lead the loop in any offensive category. He does everything well and has an attitude second to none.

In this era of specialization, let's add a couple of specialists. In the hit-with-power department, i.e. designated hitter, Buffalo first baseman/DH Jim Wilson fits the bill. He had .290, 26 HR, 105 RBI credentials at Buffalo, where he wowed Eastern Leaguers with his power.

I'm spelling relief J-E-F-F. That's Jeff Dedmon and Jeff Zaske. Dedmon came on last season, handling his conversion to the bullpen and promotion from AA (4-1, 2.88, 3 saves) to AAA in fine style. At Richmond, his fastball improved and he saved ten games in 21 appearances, fanning 33 in 36 innings and sporting a 2-2 mark, 1.75 ERA. Zaske, at 6'6", is an imposing figure with a 90 mph fastball. At Lynn (Eastern, AA), he notched 24 saves in 48 appearances, fanned 72 in 70 innings, and was 5-3, 2.18.

That's our '84 Minor League All-Star team.

BALTIMORE ORIOLES

Mike Young, the switch-hitting outfielder who's spent the past couple of summers in Rochester, is the best bet to move up and stick with the world champions this spring. Young (.284, 14 HR, 66 RBI, 18 SB) cut down on his strikeouts from a year ago, was swinging an impressive stick for Caguas in the Puerto Rican winter league, and has all the tools necessary to be a complete player in the big leagues. A pair of righties—Bill Swaggerty and Al Ramirez—could challenge for a spot as a long reliever. Both were starters in '83. Swaggerty was 9-6, 4.64 in AAA and 1-1, 2.91 with the O's. Ramirez was 4-5, 3.80 in AAA, 4-4, 3.47 with the O's, for whom he did a good job filling a void for Joe Altobelli's injury-riddled rotation a year ago. Mark Brown was 6-1, 3.54, 5 saves in AAA, handling well the change from starter to short reliever. Catcher John Stefero (.307, 16 HR, only 34 ribbies at Charlotte) figures to spend the year in AAA. The lefty-hitting backstop remains in the Orioles' future plans. One of the best hurlers Stefero is likely to handle in AAA is lefty Julian Gonzalez (combined 15-9 at Charlotte/Rochester), who whiffed 166 batters in 172½ innings but also walked 113. On the major-league roster for the first time, the hard-throwing

Gonzalez is an arm of the future. Second sacker Vic Rodriguez (.298 at Charlotte) was a Southern League all-star who'll be in the big picture in a few years.



The Mets own two prize pitching prospects in Dwight Gooden (far left) and Sid Fernandez (above). The Brewers boast outfielder Dion James.

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MINOR LEAGUES *continued*

BOSTON RED SOX

Despite a less than earth-shattering mark of 5-8 and ERA of 4.04 at Pawtucket, slender Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd is one of the Sox' two top pitching prospects. In an organization desperate for good young hurlers, Boyd exhibited a great deal of promise. For example, 129 strikeouts and only 41 walks in 122 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings. He completed nine of 17 starts for a basement ball club last in both pitching and batting. He can throw all his pitches for strikes. And his season was hard to judge because he was shuttled back and forth to Boston, where he posted a respectable 4-5 mark for the parent club. But the Sox' hottest hill prospect is Roger Clemens, the can't-miss kid from the University of Texas. Boston's No. 1 pick in the June draft, the 6-3, 210-pounder made it look easy in his pro debut at the Double-A level. After starting at Winter Haven (3-1, 1.24, 36 strikeouts in 29 innings), he moved up to AA, where he was 4-1, 1.38, with 59 strikeouts, 12 walks in 52 innings for New Britain. Then he won two games in the playoffs, including a ten-strikeout, three-hitter in the Eastern League championship clincher. Clemens may get that early-season call from Pawtucket to Boston that Boyd got in '83. That's if he doesn't stick as a non-roster invitee at spring training. Center fielder Lee Graham (.276, 11, 59 in AAA) stole 51 bases for Pawtucket, where fellow flychaser Gus Burgess batted .269 with 21 SB. Lefty-swinging Burgess and Graham were 1-2 in assists among I.L. outfielders, with 16 and 15, respectively, but played in the Pawsox' cozy McCoy Stadium home. Big Reggie Whittemore had .274, 22, 84 stats in AAA. Shortstop Jackie Gutierrez hit .278 in half a season in AA, .266 in AAA, then finished up 3-for-10 with the Bosox. Righty Al Nipper was a combined 13-7 at New Britain/Pawtucket, then split a pair of big-leagues decisions and posted a 2.25 ERA.

CALIFORNIA ANGELS

Shortstop Dick Schofield came on with a rush at the end to hit .284 in his first full AAA season, one in which he may have been overmatched, having to bat third in the order. But he met the challenge, stroking 16 homers and driving in 94 runs. Outfielder Mike Brown, like Schofield a Pacific Coast League all-star, wound up third in the league in batting (.352, 22, 106) and was second in the loop with 39 doubles. And that's in just 115 games, Brown having spent three weeks in mid-season with the parent club (.204, 2 HR in 15 games). The PCL team had a number of other .300 hitters—infielders Tim Krauss (.325, 13, 70) and second baseman Steve Lubratich (.321, 78 RBI), outfielders Chris Clark (.316, 18, 77) and Juan Monasterio (.314, 17, 79), plus veteran catcher Jerry Narron (.301, 27, 101). Swift, switch-hitting outfielder Gary Pettis, who hit .285, stole 52 bases in AAA, also led the Angels in stolen bases while playing just 22 games. He could be the big club's center fielder. At AA, three respectable pitching performances were turned in by Bill Mooneyham (8-6, 4.58); Bob Bastian, who worked mostly in relief and had stats of 4-3, 3.29; and lefty Jeff Conner (10-11, 3.59). Outfielder Reggie West (.316) and first sacker Larry Patterson (.298) hit for average rather than power. The only player for Nashua with double-figure homer production was switch-hitting out-

fielder Sap Randall (.276, 14, 88), who also stole 19 bases. The Angels acquired a good bullpen prospect from the Yankees in Curt Kaufman, who led the International League in saves (25) while posting a 6-3 mark, 2.75 ERA in 50 appearances for pennant-winning Columbus. In AAA, Kaufman fanned 93 batters in 78 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings.



Dennis Boyd, Boston Red Sox

CHICAGO WHITE SOX

The Sox' top prospect is catcher Joel Skinner, son of ex-Pittsburgh outfielder Bob Skinner. Young Skinner is an outstanding catcher who batted only .260 in his first season at the AAA level, with 12 homers and 50 runs batted in. But in Skinner the Sox, who selected him in the first compensation draft in '82, have a fine defensive backstop. At 6-4, he fits the mold of an eventual replacement for Pudge Fisk, though he's not likely to swing a similar bat. First sacker Chris Nyman had a big year in AAA (.319, 23, 90). Ditto lefty-hitting outfielder Casey Parsons (.300, 20, 95), second sacker Tim Hulett (.273, 21, 88), and infielder Fran Mullins (.270, 18 HR). Lefty Bob Fallon was 10-5, 4.29 at Denver. Lefty-hitting outfielder Daryl Boston batted only .239 and drove home just 50 runs at Glens Falls, but his 18 home runs, 21 stolen bases, and physical tools which he did not display on a regular basis at the AA level still make him a prospect. Lefty-swinging outfielder Dave Yobs split the season between AA/AAA, batting .315 at Glens Falls, .251 at Denver. Righty Don Ruzek began the year in A-ball, which he dominated to the tune of 6-0, 1.66 ERA, 47 strikeouts in 43 innings. Moving up to AA, he was 5-3, 2.03. Reliever Tom Mullen was 5-0, 2.93 with ten saves in AA.

CLEVELAND INDIANS

The Indians didn't have that much in the way of prospects at AAA, where the International League franchise is moving this year from Charleston, W. Va., to the Maine resort town of Old Orchard Beach. But there was one blue-chipper back of the plate in lefty-swinging Jerry Willard (.301, 19, 77), who made wore on. By year's end, Willard was among the two best all-around catching prospects in the league. Outfielder/infielder Kevin Rhomberg (.311, 27 SB), who can disrupt

a pitcher's rhythm with his routine of physical gestures before settling in the batter's box, needs to find a position. Getting on base, not defense, is his strong suit. Lefty-hitting Karl Pagel had stats of .325, 20, 82 in AAA. Right-hander Steve Farr led the Eastern League in ERA (1.61), sporting a sparkling 13-1 record, tacking on a save, and fanning 108 in 112 innings at the AA level. Two relievers had good years in AA, though each had control trouble. Particularly wild was lefty Ray Romero (77 walks in 98 innings), but he still was 10-4, 3.95, four saves, and had 92 strikeouts. Righty Rick Thompson was only 3-7, but he had 13 saves and a 2.86 ERA. First baseman/DH Jim Wilson is a prospect because of his power (.290, 26, 105). And second sacker Shanle Dugas batted just .259, but had 28 HR, 84 RBI. Buffalo mates Dave Gallagher (.335) and lefty-hitting George Cecchetti (.323) were 1-2 in hitting in the Eastern League, while the third member of that outfield, lefty-swinging Dwight Taylor, batted .302 and led the E.L. in stolen bases (95). Righty Jeff Barkley was 8-3, fanning 116 in 95 innings in A-AAA.

DETROIT TIGERS

The Tigers have developed from within for years. Just check that double-play combo of theirs, for example. But there wasn't much down on the farm last season at the AAA level. Outfielder Barbaro Garbey was fourth in the league in batting (.321) and had 14 homers. Switch-hitting Doug Baker was one of three outstanding shortstops in the Southern League. Despite a .250 average (he drove in 51 runs, stole 14 bases), Baker is rated highly because he possesses a cannon for an arm. The Arizona Stater, some say, may hit better as he gets older and stronger. Lefty-hitting outfielder Stan Younger batted .309 (second in the league) and stole 43 bases for Birmingham. First sacker Greg Norman had a good year in AA (.300, 12, 80). The Southern League's top right-hander and biggest winner was Don Heinkel (19-6, 3.39). Roger Mason led the AA loop in ERA (7-4, 2.06). Lefty Colin Ward was 10-3, 4.12. And reliever Don Gordon was 10-5, 3.42 with nine saves. Switch-hitting Howard Johnson was supposed to be at third in Tiger Stadium last season. He wound up back in Evansville, hurt. He has power and speed, will be back at third, first, in the outfield, or as a designated hitter.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS

Because KC was torn apart as the result of drug problems during the offseason, there could be a youthful look to the Royals' outfield, particularly at the start of the season. With Willie Wilson sitting out a suspension, the possibility of a pair of rookies, Butch Davis and lefty-hitting John Morris, cracking the opening-day lineup is not that far-fetched. Adding up his stats at Jacksonville (AA), Omaha (AAA), and KC, Davis had an overall year of .327, with 201 hits in 614 at-bats, 27 doubles, 16 triples, 21 homers, 102 RBI, and 46 stolen bases. More than half those figures were compiled at AA, but he might make the jump because he's a good hitter, should do well on turf, and has just one glaring weakness—he can't throw. Morris did not lead the Southern League in any category, but KC's No. 1 pick in '82 out of Seton Hall does nearly everything well. He



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had stats of .288, 23, 92 at Jacksonville, where he was the league's MVP. The Royals would like to start him in AAA, but who knows now. Southpaw Danny Jackson is an outstanding hill prospect. After going 17-3 in his first pro season at the A-AA levels, he started slowly at Omaha last spring but wound up with one of the Association's best ERAs (3.97) and a so-so 7-8 record. His improved slider, to go with a big-league fastball, makes him a possibility for the KC rotation during '84. The Royals are not shy of pitching prospects. Mark Gubicza was 14-12, 3.08 in AA, where he was wild but also led the Southern loop in strikeouts (146). Frank Wills was an overall 11-15 in AA-AAA and with KC, winning a couple of major-league decisions. And lefty Tony Ferreira was 7-11 in AA. A hurler of the future—though the future may not be far away—is Bret Saberhagen, who was a combined 16-7 with great control and a sub-3.00 ERA at Fort Myers/Jacksonville in his first pro season, as well as being a dominating performer in Instructional League play.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS

Lefty-hitting outfielder Dion James is suspect in the power area (he hit only eight homers last season). But as a 20-year-old in the PCL, he did bat .336, had 68 RBI, and stole 22 bases. He hangs in there against southpaws, striking out only 33 times all season in 467 at-bats. When his slender frame fills out, added power may be the result. But even now, he does so many things well. He was probably the best flychaser in the PCL in '83. Randy Ready may have earned a big-league job with .329, 13, 59, 24 stolen bases at Vancouver. He's no power hitter, but he can play a lot of positions—third, second, left field, or as a righty designated hitter for the Brewers. Catcher Bill Schroeder had a solid year in AAA (.286, 20, 70). On the mound, righties Andy Beene (13-6) and Jaime Cocanower (10-10) showed promise at the AAA level. Beene must improve his control. In AA, El Paso's launching-pad park may have aided three of the Texas League's most productive players. Lefty-hitting shortstop Earnest Riles (.349, 13, 91), who won the batting crown on the final night of the season from first baseman Carlos Ponce (.348, 21, 111, 16 SB), as well as third sacker Billy Max (.336, 28, 112), will have to prove they're for real in AAA. Righty Rene Quinones was 12-4 at El Paso. Bill Wegman set a California League record-low ERA (1.30), was 16-5, completed 15 of 24 starts, fanned 135, and walked just 45 in 187 innings. He's a future big leaguer.

MINNESOTA TWINS

Tim Teufel, the former Clemson All-American, is the man most likely to succeed in the Twins' organization. The Most Valuable Player in the International League, Teufel swung a .323 bat at Toledo, with 27 HR and 100 ribbies. And if he doesn't cover a lot of ground at second base, he makes the play on everything he gets to. Teufel made only 13 errors and turned 109 double plays. But it's the bat that's making the Twins find room in their starting lineup for him. Teufel was second in the league in total bases (272) and also drew over 100 walks. He hits the ball hard, and with consistency. Center fielder Dave Meier (.336 at Toledo) was second among I.L. batsmen as an AAA rookie. Flychaser Tack Wilson batted .325 with 53 sto-



Danny Jackson, Kansas City Royals
Tim Teufel, Minnesota Twins

len bases in AAA. And lefty Eddie Hodge fought off a couple of losing seasons to post an 11-6 mark and 3.97 ERA in AAA. Fireman Mike Walters (3-0, 1.96, 12 saves) was one of the I.L.'s best relievers. Jeff Reed is a premier defensive catcher, but his bat (.261 at Orlando) did not come up to the standards Minny had expected in '83. Reed's quick release, accurate arm, plus the poise he showed for a 20-year-old in AA stamp him as a great major-league prospect. He figures to work on improving his offensive work at Toledo in '84. Jay Pettibone was 13-7, 3.97 in AA, then had a creditable 3.32 ERA in four AAA appearances, in which he fanned 16 and walked just three in 21⅓ innings. Outfielder Gerry Lomastro had .301, 21, 92 stats in AA. Southpaw screwball pitcher Keith Comstock was drafted, after going 11-3, 3.21 at Birmingham, where he fanned 136 AA batters in 146 innings.

NEW YORK YANKEES

No, Steve Balboni is no longer the home-run hitter the Pinstripers have in mind. He's gone. But the Yankees still have prospects; they always do. Shortstop Bobby Meacham is no muscleman, but the shortstop acquired from St. Louis had .262, 9, 60 credentials at Columbus. For power, the I.L.-winning Clippers had lefty-hitting outfielder Matt Winters (.292, 29, 99) and righty-swinging flychaser Brian Dayett (.288, I.L.-high 35 HR, 108 ribbies). Also, lefty-hitting outfielder Mike Patterson batted .285 in AAA. But the top prospect is swift flychaser Otis Nixon, who stole a league-leading 94 bases in 123 attempts, batted .291, and also led the AAA circuit in runs scored (129), hits (162), and at-bats (557). His speed is too great to keep in the minors. On the mound, Jamie Werly was a combined 15-5 at Nashville/Columbus. Lefty

reliever Ray Fontenot was 3-2, 2.83 with eight saves in AAA before working as a starter/reliever for the Yanks. In the deal with the Cards involving Meacham, N.Y. also acquired outfielder Stan Javier, son of former Card second baseman Julian Javier. The Yank's teen-age switch hitter batted .311 at Greensboro, had 12 HR, 77 RBI, and stole 33 bases. Reliever Johnny Baldwin (7-5, 1.63) recorded 19 saves and fanned 104 in 83 innings in the South Atlantic League.

OAKLAND A's

Hard-throwing Mike Warren was successful at three levels last season, climbing the ladder from AA to AAA to the majors, winning five games—including a no-hitter—for the A's and 17 for the year. His breaking ball separates him from the rest of the crowd. Lefty Curt Young was 12-9 at Tacoma, where reliever Bert Bradley was 6-5, 2.84 with 14 saves. In AA, outfielder Tom Romano continued to defy those who claim he can't play. He hit .320 for Albany, had 24 homers, 89 RBI, and stole 33 bases. Catching may be a spot for him in the future, or he may become a handyman. Third sacker Tim Pyznarski had figures of .279, 28, 79 in AA, where he also stole 20 bases.



Bobby Meacham, New York Yankees

SEATTLE MARINERS

For three years in the minors, Darnell Coles was a shortstop. His arm is very strong, but his shortstop play was erratic. After opening '83 at Chattanooga (.287 in 72 games), the first-round pick in the '80 draft was promoted to AAA. Coles batted .316, with 10 HR, 41 ribbies in 61 games. Called up to the majors, he was quickly converted to third base, where he'd never played as a pro. Still, he started the final 26 games at third and batted .283, driving in six runs in 27 games. Another No. 1 pick in '80 (but in the secondary phase), second baseman Harold Reynolds stole 69 bases his first full pro season. Last season in the PCL, the switch-hitting Reynolds swiped 54 sacks in 136 games, batted .309, and drove in 72 runs. The final month of the big-league season, he started 17 games at second for the M's, batting .203. Lefty-hitting outfielder Al Chambers has climbed the organizational ladder slowly but steadily since being the club's top pick in June of '79. Despite a one-month stint with Seattle from late-July to late-August, which began impressively (2-for-4 with 4 RBI starting vs. Boston), Chambers managed to have enough plate appearances to finish among PCL batting leaders (.330, 12,

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76, 20 stolen bases). Outfielder Ivan Calderon won the Southern League batting crown (.311, 11, 80, 25 SB). His impressive bat produced 60 extra-base hits, including 15 triples. He and infielder Danny Tartabull (.301, 13, 66, 25 SB) should impress early this season with their stickwork in AAA. Tartabull played second, but may be moved to the left side of the infield. Southpaw Mark Langston was 14-9, 3.59 in AA, where he fanned 142 batters. Outfielder Phil Bradley doesn't hit for power (two homers, 41 ribbies at Salt Lake City), but he did hit AAA pitching to the tune of .323 and stole 36 bases.

TEXAS RANGERS

Two players who missed a month of the '83 season at Oklahoma City hope to spend '84 in the majors, injury-free. Shortstop Curtis Wilkerson batted .312 at AAA level, although an ankle injury kept his stolen bases down to 14. Righty Al Lachowicz was 12-8, 3.88 in '82 at Tulsa. In '83, his won-lost total was a modest 5-3. A foot injury limited him to 115 innings in AAA, but he struck out 96 and had a 2.89 ERA, second-lowest in the American Association. He can throw all four of his pitches for strikes and will get a shot at the Rangers' rotation. From U. of Pittsburgh, Lachowicz is one of two No. 1 picks by Texas in June '81, the other being Ron Darling (Yale), now challenging for a spot in the Mets' rotation. Hard-throwing reliever Tom Henke was 9-6, 3.01 ERA, fanning 90 in 78 innings at Oklahoma City, and could be the Rangers' short man. Lefty Ricky Wright (7-6, 11 saves at Albuquerque) was acquired from the Dodgers and may stick in the pen. The third pick in the nation in last year's draft, shortstop Jeff Kunkel batted .287 in 122 at-bats at Burlington (Northwest, A-ball), then .285 in 130 AB at Tulsa (Texas, AA). He may start '84 in AA, but figures at least to get a crack at AAA this season. Next year ought to be his time for the bigs, unless everyone else flops and he's rushed. Son of ex-big-league hurler and current umpire Bill Kunkel, this kid may eventually force the move of Wilkerson from short to second at the major-league level. Outfielder Kevin Buckley (.293, 32, 104) had a big power year at Tulsa. But it was righty-hitting first baseman Mike Rubel who showed the real clout in AA, poking 23 homers in 245 AB, batting .302, and producing 61 RBI before being called up to Okie City. In AAA, however, he hit a modest .250 with four HR, 18 RBI in 180 AB.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Once again, the farm system's best is shortstop Tony Fernandez. But after two all-star seasons at Syracuse, the youthful, exciting, switch-hitting Fernandez (.300, 35 SB) is headed for the carpeted infield at Exhibition Stadium. And that's regardless of what the situation is with Alfredo Griffin and Damaso Garcia. There was offseason talk that Griffin would be moved to second base and Garcia moved, period. But such talk has been heard before. Regardless, the multitasking Fernandez, who needs to temper his temper some, has such a natural feel for the game he may prove to be even a better major leaguer than the stickout he was in AAA. Center fielder Ron Shepherd (.272, 13, 62 in AAA) made great progress with the bat and covers a lot of ground. His speed dictates he'll steal more bases, but he must still cut down

on his strikeouts. Another AAA season and he should be ready. Outfielder Mitch Webster (.260 in AAA) can go get 'em with the best. And while the switch-hitting Webster dropped off at the plate, he could make it as a spare in the outer gardens. The Jays, strong in starting pitching at the major-league level, have some more good ones on the way. Matt Williams (7.8, 3.54) was third in ERA among ILers and allowed just 100 hits in 139 1/3 innings, but was victimized by gopher balls. Dennis Howard (9-7, 3.69) was fifth in ERA. Lefty reliever Stan Clarke was 2-7 in AA/AAA, with six saves in 59 appearances. But he had a sub-.300 ERA and has a major-league arm in an organization with just one other lefty stopper (Bryan Clarke, from Seattle). Lefty Jimmy Key was 6-5, 2.85 at Knoxville, 5-8, 3.87 at Syracuse and has a mound presence which reminds you of Scott McGregor. Fireballing reliever Dave Shipanoff led the Southern League in saves (18), was 6-3, 3.36 with 73 strikeouts in 70 innings before fanning 18 in 11 innings at the AAA level. Former No. 1 draft pick Augie Schmidt, a shortstop, hit .266 in AA, where first sacker-DH Chris Johnston swung a .300 stick before moving up to AAA, where he hit only .210 but showed some power (11 HR in 216 AB). Keep your eye, a couple of years down the road, on 20-year-old Fred McGriff, a defensively weak first sacker who was acquired from the Yankees. As a Blue Jay chattel last season, he poked 28 homers, 21 of those at Kinston, mostly in the latter part of the season.



Al Lachowicz, Texas Rangers

ATLANTA BRAVES

Though they lost outfielder Brett Butler, pitcher Rick Behenna, and third baseman Brook Jacoby in last season's Len Barker deal, the Braves have a stockpile of talented youngsters to fill the void. In the hitting department, the top three are lefty-swinging Gerald Perry, righty-hitting Brad Komminsk, and switch-hitting Albert Hall, who teamed at International League runner-up Richmond in 1983. Perry (.314, 13 HR, 71 RBI, 26 SB) was the I.L. all-star first baseman, after being the league's top rookie in '82. A stint in the bigs late last season produced 14 hits in 39 at-bats (.359). Perhaps his bat will be found in Atlanta's outfield, until he ousts Chris Chambliss at first. Komminsk (.334, 24, 103, 26 SB, I.L.-high .596 slugging percentage) is big, strong, and fast. He managed only 8-for-36 with the big club, but fig-

ures to get an all-out shot in the majors this year. Hall (.294, 11 triples, 46 SB) did lead the loop's flychasers in errors (12), but he can go get 'em. Waiting his time back of Rafael Ramirez at short is Paul Zuvella (.287, 64 RBI in AAA), while a couple of years away at second, after being converted from shortstop, is Miguel Sosa, who batted just .245 at Savannah but had 17 HR, 93 RBI, 26 SB in AA. The once mound-shy Braves are building up their pitching forces. Likely to get a shot in Atlanta is Jeff Dedmon (combined 6-3, 13 saves, ERA in the low 2.00s at Savannah/Richmond). He was a dominant reliever in AAA, but the Pascual Perez drug incident could open a spot in the rotation. The Braves' No. 1 pick in June '82, Duane Ward was 11-13, 4.29 at Durham (Carolina, Class A). He and Brian Fisher (8-11, 5.22 at Savannah) are rated the top prospects among the starters. Having worked on a curve to go along with a 90 mph-plus fastball, Fisher could get over the hump.



Brad Komminsk, Atlanta Braves

CHICAGO CUBS

Righty Bill Johnson notched 18 saves last season, a year which saw him go from the Phillies to the Cubs in the Dick Ruthven-Willie Hernandez deal. He may work his way into the Cubs' bullpen this spring. He was 1-1 with five saves at Reading before a May deal found him in the Cub fold at Midland (Texas), where he won six and saved 13 but had a 4.99 ERA and allowed more hits than innings. He joined Iowa for the American Association playoffs, then won his only major-league decision with the Cubs, posting a 4.38 ERA in ten appearances. Outfielder/catcher Joe Carter, the Cubs' No. 1 pick and baseball's No. 2 in June '81, had an American Association all-star season at Iowa (.307, 22, 83). He led the league in total bases (265). In 51 major-league AB, he hit .176. The Cubs may want to give him part of '84 in AAA. But the former Wichita State star has all the tools, including speed (40 SB). Righty Don Schulze, the Cubs' top draftee in June '80, jumped from A-ball to AAA last season. The results were impressive. Schulze won 11 of 20 decisions (4.27 ERA), completing seven of 25 starts for Iowa, striking out 103 in 168 1/3 innings. In his first major-league appearance, he worked two scoreless innings of relief against Montreal. One of the Cubs' top prospects is shortstop Shawon Dunston, the No. 1 pick in the nation two years ago. He hit .310, stole 58 bases, and was considered the premier player in the Midwest League in '83.

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MINOR LEAGUES continued

CINCINNATI REDS

Jeff Russell split his ten AAA decisions at Indianapolis last season, but his 3.55 ERA was third-best in the American Association. And he fanned 98 batters in 119 innings. He was also impressive working for Cincy, where he was 4-5, 3.03. He's certain to stick with the Reds. Veteran flychaser Dallas Williams had .328, 11, 75 stats at Indy, where he also had 30 doubles; he was 2-for-36 with Cincy. Converted shortstop Eric Davis may not have shown Eastern League observers all he has last season. The fleet-footed outfielder batted .290, poked 15 homers, stole 39 bases, but drove in only 43 runs at Waterbury. He was bothered part of the season by a bad back. In AAA, Davis hit .299 at Indy with seven HR in 77 at-bats. Righty Curt Heidenreich displayed an outstanding sinking fastball at Waterbury, where he had a big year (11-4, 1.73 ERA, 35 fewer hits than innings pitched, 98 strikeouts in 119 innings). Lefty Tom Browning was only 4-10 in AA, but he had a good 3.53 ERA and 101 whiffs in 117 innings. Righties Brad Lesley and Keefe Cato pitched well in AAA, then impressed in brief stints with Cincy. Lesley was 3-1, 2.55 in relief for Indy, then 0-0, 2.16 in 8 1/3 innings with the Reds. Cato was 3-3, 3.65 in AAA, winning his lone major-league decision.

HOUSTON ASTROS

Right-hander Jeff Heathcock is far and away the top farm-system prospect, one who figures to stick in '84. Heathcock won 16 games last season with a sub-3.00 ERA. After posting 4-4, 2.27 stats at Columbus (Southern, AA), he moved up to the Pacific Coast League, where he narrowly missed working the prescribed number of innings to win the ERA crown. He was 10-3, 2.77 for Tucson and earned a September shot with the parent club. In posting a 2-1 mark, 3.21 ERA, and a save, Heathcock displayed remarkable control (four walks in 28 innings). For the year, he walked just 52 batters in 229 innings. Heathcock could get a shot as a spot starter/long or middle reliever. Righty Ron Mathis, released by Detroit early in '82, hooked on with the Astros and was 5-1, 2.97 in AA in '82. Last season at AAA, he was 11-13, 4.34, led the PCL with three shutouts, and was second with a career-high 137 strikeouts. Veteran George Bjorkman could gain a backup catching job with the Astros, whose receiving corps lacks hitting across the board. Bjorkman batted .252 with 12 HR in AA, then spent some time in AAA (.228). Infielder/outfielder Glenn Davis had .299, 25, 85 credentials in AA, then hit .211 in a brief stint in AAA. He may need a full year in the PCL. A rarity in the Astros' farm system is first sacker Wes Clements. He has some power. Last year in AAA, Clements batted just .256 and whiffed 155 times. But he did poke 20 HR and drove in 89 runs. The farm system has outfield speed in lefty-hitting Eric Bullock (.276, 35 SB in AA), Ty Gaines (.270, 24 SB in AA), and veteran Scott Loucks (.287, 13 SB, 71 SB in AAA).

LOS ANGELES DODGERS

There was a time when Rich Rodas wondered if he'd ever have a career in baseball. That was as recently as 1980, when he missed the season because of a blood clot in his arm. Back the next year, the slightly-built left-hander eventually won 14 in '82 at

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MINOR LEAGUES

Albuquerque, then exceeded that last season in AAA (16-4, 4.16, 157 whiffs, 69 walks in 186 innings). The PCL's all-star southpaw, Rodas came up with a screwball which made him more effective in '83. But the last two seasons, Rodas (career winning percentage of .757, 56-14) has not been effective the second half of either campaign. Orel Hershisier (10-8, 4.09 in AAA) may be converted from reliever to starter. He saved 16 games last year in the PCL, but as a starter



Cecil Espy, Los Angeles Dodgers

in ten games, he won six and completed a like number. Outfielder Cecil Espy (.268, 11 triples, 51 SB at San Antonio) figures to be in AAA this season. But he's already regarded as the Dodgers' top defensive flychaser. Catcher Gil Reyes, a converted first sacker, has a marvelous throwing arm. After batting .282 in AA, he hit .306 in AAA and was the youngest player in the majors last season. But he had only 217 AB all year and will be in AAA this spring. Larry White (13-8, 3.75 in the PCL) was a double-figure winner for the fourth straight year and impressed with L.A. (1.29 ERA in four relief stints). After saving a game in the PCL playoffs, he pitched a complete game the next night. The Dodgers have to make a decision on third sacker German Rivera (.328, 24, 103 in AAA), a December '82 draft pick by Oakland who's coming off his best season. Rivera, 7-for-16 with the Dodgers, is out of options. First baseman-outfielder Franklin Stubbs had 16 HR, hit .277 in AAA. Outfielder R.J. Reynolds (.337, 18, 89, 43 stolen bases in AA) has been in double figures in assists every year. He had 22 RBI in his first 16 games with L.A. Center fielder Lemmie Miller (.328, 52 SB, 122 runs in AAA) has never failed to hit .300 at A-AA-AAA levels. First sacker Sid Bream (.307, 32, 118 in AAA) was a PCL all-star, but must show he can hit it out of big ball parks.

MONTREAL EXPOS

There were two big sticks popping the long ball for the Expos' AAA farm at Wichita. Outfielder Mike Fuentes, the former collegiate player of the year at Florida State, had .299, 30, 91 stats. The past two seasons, his bat has produced 67 homers, 206 ribbies. First baseman Mike Stenhouse was the American Association's MVP. He was an easy winner of the batting title, despite a mid-season call-up. Stenhouse batted .355, had 33 doubles, 25 HR, and 93 RBI in just 109 games. But with the parent club, Stenhouse was just 5-for-40 and homerless. Switch-hitting first baseman Razor Shines certainly cut through Southern League pitching. He hit .286, had 20 homers in AA, then batted .277 in 112 AB at Wichita. Rene Gonzales (.269 at Mem-

phis) is a couple of years away from the majors. But his glove is already big-league. Gonzales possesses outstanding range, has a good arm, and swift release. He has the potential to be an outstanding shortstop in the majors. The Expos also had a fine double-play combination in A-ball at Gastonia. Second sacker Armando Moreno batted .327, drove in 63 runs, and stole 17 bases. Shortstop Tim Thiessen, from Fresno State, hit .302, stole 34 bases, and displayed a strong throwing arm. Shortstop Angel Salazar (.302 at Wichita) could offer immediate middle-infield help.

NEW YORK METS

Pitching. It's the name of the game. Nobody knows that better than the Mets, who seem to parade impressive staffs through Tidewater each summer. Again last year, the Tides led the International League in pitching en route to capturing the I.L. playoffs and inaugural Triple-A World Series. Most likely to take the step up to Shea Stadium is Ron Darling, the Hawaiian-born Yale product who came from Texas with Walt Terrell in the Lee Mazzilli trade on the eve of the 1982 season. Darling was 10-9, 4.02 for the Tides, then pitched well for the Mets (1-3, 2.80 in five games). He needs to cut down on walks, but he appears ready for a spot in the Mets' rotation. Despite an 8-16 record in AAA, Tim Leary may shed the nagging arm and shoulder ailments that have befallen the Mets' No. 1 pick in the '79 draft. Having hurt his elbow in his major-league debut in early '81, Leary didn't make it back until last September, when he sported a 3.38 ERA in splitting two decisions for the parent club. The potential remains. The brightest star of all is teen-ager Dwight Gooden, who struck out 300 in 191 innings and was 19-4 with a Carolina League-low 2.50 ERA at Lynchburg. Selected all-everything, the hard-throwing Gooden will start in AAA (where he helped the Tides win the Little World Series), but Shea is just a call away. Lefty Sid Fernandez was acquired from the Dodgers, following a Texas League MVP season for San Antonio (13-4, league-low 2.82 ERA), where he whiffed 209 in 153 innings. In three minor-league seasons, he's 32-11 with two no-hitters in '81. The Mets need a southpaw starter. Righty Jeff Bittiger was 12-10, 4.36 for the Tides, but had control trouble. Catcher Mike Fitzgerald had stats of .284, 14, 65 in AAA, and fast on his heels is backstop John Gibbons (.298, 18, 67 in AA). The Mets have great outfield prospects in Herm Winningham and Terry Blocker, who hit .354 and .308, respectively, in AA, then handled AAA pitching. Veteran Gary Rajsich (.270, 28, 83 in AAA) led I.L. first baseman in fielding. He could find a home as a pinch hitter if Rusty Staub ever shows his age.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES

With the ageless Joe Morgan back on the West Coast, the Phil's second-base job belongs to Juan Samuel. You wouldn't have guessed it from his batting average in the Eastern League last season. He hit just .234 for Reading, but he showed good pop with 11 homers and 39 ribbies in 184 at-bats, plus speed (19 stolen bases), before jumping to AAA. Although at Portland only 65 games, he was acknowledged as the best player in the PCL, where he batted .330, had 15 HR, 52 RBI, and 33 SB in 39 attempts.

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MINOR LEAGUES continued

Just a 165-pounder, Samuel has hit 54 homers the past two seasons. He finished the '83 season with the Phils, hitting .277 in 65 AB. For hitting for average, hitting with power, plus possessing speed, Samuel is one of baseball's premier prospects. Lefty-hitting first baseman Len Matuszek swung a big bat in the PCL (.330, 24, 92), then hit .274 with four HR, 16 ribbies in 75 at-bats for the Phils. He was ineligible for postseason play. Outfielder Alejandro Sanchez batted just .247 in AAA, but had 17 HR, 74 RBI, and 33 SB. Outfielder Jeff Stone has the speed to turn a ball game around. In AA, he stole 90 bases, but also improved his overall offensive game (.317, 44 extra-base hits, 67 RBI). With the Phils, he went 3-for-4 with three RBI. Lefty reliever Don Carman (8-5, 2.97 in AA) made 56 appearances and recorded 23 saves. A trio of right-handers had fine years at Reading. Rich Gaynor was 13-3, 2.48; Tony Ghelfi, 10-3, 3.68 (plus 1-1, 3.14 with Philly); and Jay Davisson, 15-4, 3.46. First sacker Francisco Melendez (.298, 75 RBI at Reading) is as good as there is with the glove, a fine left-handed-hitter with a can't-miss major-league label.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES

Two pitchers and an outfielder showed plenty in AAA last season, earning promotions they proved were merited. Righty Jose DeLeon won the Pacific Coast League ERA title easily with a 3.04 figure, winning 11 of 17



Len Matuszek, Philadelphia Phillies

decisions and striking out 98 in 97 innings for Hawaii. He stepped right into the Pirate rotation and went 7-3, 2.83 with 118 whiffs in 108 major-league innings. Three times, he took no-nos into the seventh inning for the Bucs, and had a 13-strikeout game. Reliever Cecilio Guante was 2-1, 3.51 in the PCL, only 2-6 for the Bucs. But he had a 3.32 ERA in the majors, fanned 82 in 100 1/3 innings, and notched nine saves, second on the club to Kent Tekulve. Outfielder Doug Frobel will be called upon to fill the power void left by lefty-swinging Dave Parker. Frobel cut way down on his strikeouts last season, from 134 to 82. And playing in a big park, he nonetheless hit 14 of his 24 homers at home, batting .304 and driving in 80 runs for Hawaii. With the Bucs, he hit three HR in 60 AB and batted .283. The Canadian native can also run (23 SB in 31 tries). The Bucs had three top prospects playing AA-ball last season. Reliever Jeff Zaske, a 6-6 fireballer, led the Eastern League in saves (24), was 5-3, 2.18 with 72 strikeouts in 70 innings. Mike Bie-

lecki made giant strides last season. He'd been 7-12 in AA for Buffalo in '82, but was 15-7, 3.19 for Lynn in '83. He fanned 143 in 164 innings, and has whiffed 278 batters the past two years. Adding a forkball turned Bielecki into a better pitcher. Lefty-hitting outfielder Benny DiStefano (.271, 25, 92) displayed good power in AA. He may be moved to first base. Infielder Denny Gonzalez, who spent '81-82 at second and third, moved to short last season and batted .269 at Hawaii, where he had 35 extra-base hits and stole 32 bases. Second baseman Ron Wotus hit .301 in AAA. Lefty-hitting outfielder Joe Orsulak had a big year with Hawaii, where he tied for the PCL lead in triples (13), batted .286, and had 38 stolen bases. Shortstop Rafael Belliard hit .262 in AA, where he was an Eastern League all-star.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

Louisville, where the turnstiles never stop, saw former outfielder and No. 1 draftee Andy Van Slyke turn into a third baseman during a two-month stint there. After tearing up the American Association (.368, 41 RBI in 54 games), the lefty-hitting Van Slyke became the Cards' regular at the hot corner, hitting .262 in over 300 at-bats. Lefty-hitting catcher Orlando Sanchez hit the ball well in AAA (.295, 16, 89). Infielder Bill Lyons hit .271 and had 21 SB at Louisville, but was just 10-for-60 with the parent club. Righty Danny Cox made the AA-AAA-majors trip in '83. After going 8-3, 2.29 with Arkansas, and two no-decisions (eight strikeouts, no walks in 11 innings) with Louisville, he moved to the Cards, where he was 3-6, 3.25. Shortstop Jose Gonzalez batted .284, had 26 SB in AAA, where Ralph Citarella was 7-6. Kevin Hagen was 6-9, 4.32 in AAA, then split four



Kevin McReynolds, San Diego Padres

decisions and had a 4.84 ERA for the Cards. Righty Todd Worrell was a combined 9-4 at Arkansas/Louisville. Jose Brito was 5-4 at AA-AAA. Outfielder Jack Ayer hit .313, stole 17 bases in AA. Outfielder Gotay Mills hit .284, stole 44 bases in the Texas League.

SAN DIEGO PADRES

Outfielder Kevin McReynolds was the minor-league player of the year in '83, when he burned up the PCL to the tune of .377, 32, 116. McReynolds shared the league home-run title and easily led the loop in doubles (46), total bases (328), and slugging percentage (an awesome .735). The past two years, he's averaged stats of .372, 33, 127. Last June with the Padres, he hit just .178 in

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MINOR LEAGUES

73 at-bats, fanning 22 times. In September, he hit .269 for the parent club. He goes to spring training with a starting job in the Padre outer garden. Outfielder Gerry Davis, like McReynolds a PCL all-star, had .298, 23, 100 stats. Steady but not flashy, Davis has averaged figures of .312, 25, 96 (and 114 walks) during his three years as a pro. Southpaw Ray Hayward, the tenth player taken in last June's draft, jumped from the Oklahoma campus to AA, where he was 5-1, 1.76 ERA, with 71 strikeouts in 66 innings. A Steve Carlton-type slider separates him from the crowd. He could battle lefty Dennis Rasmussen for a spot in the Padre rotation. Rasmussen, a 6-7 fireballer who was California's top pick in '80, was traded to the Yankees and pitched in the International League for Columbus (13-10, 4.57, I.L.-high 187 strikeouts in 181 innings). Dealt to the Padres late in the season, he had a 1.98 in four big-league appearances, fanning 13 in 14 innings. He needs to improve on control and holding runners aboard. George Hinshaw, an outfielder-turned-third baseman, had stats of .283, 16, 67 at Las Vegas, where he stole 16 bases. A slow starter every year but '81, when he tore up the California League, Hinshaw batted nearly .400 after June last season. Then he had seven hits in 16 at-bats for the big club. The best of those players a couple of years away are righty Jimmy Jones (7-5, 2.70 in A-ball at Reno), catcher Benito Santiago (.247 in A-ball at Miami), flashy but erratic shortstop Ozzie Guillen (.295 in AA at Beaumont), and righty Greg Booker, who's pitched just two years and was 5-6, 5.45 with Las Vegas, losing his lone decision with the Padres. A deal brought first sacker Carmelo Martinez (.251, 31, 94 at Wichita) from the Cubs, for whom he poked six HR in 89 AB, batting .258.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS

Giant chattel Chris Smith won the PCL batting title with a .379 mark, the highest in the league in 35 years. Smith had 21 HR, 102 ribbies. But he's strictly a designated hitter, a player without a position and one who was seeking a job in Japan during the off-season. Scott Garrelts hurled a seven-inning no-hitter for Phoenix, yet is a question mark because of a history of shoulder trouble. Only 22, Garrelts was 5-5, 4.61 last year in the PCL, fanning 89 in 98 innings but walking 81. With the Giants, despite less than pinpoint control, he won two of four decisions and posted a stingy 2.52 ERA in 35½ innings. Switch-hitting outfielder Dan Gladden (.303, 80 RBI, 50 stolen bases) had a good AAA year. So did first sacker Rich Murray (.299, 19, 82). Mark Grant, the Giants' top prospect, worked last season in AA. Considered by some the top hill property in all of the minors, Grant was 10-8, 3.66 last season at Shreveport. He struck out 159 Texas League batters in 187 innings. A No. 1 pick in '81, Grant was 16-5, 2.36, with 243 strikeouts in 199 innings at Clinton in '82. Others who had good AA seasons in '83 were lefty-hitting first sacker Mark Schuster (.303, 29, 100), outfielder Rob Deer (.217, 35 HR, 99 RBI, 18 SB), shortstop John Stevenson (.319), righty Bengie Biggus (12-6, 3.21), righty reliever Frank Williams (7-2, 1.71, 54 whiffs in 42 innings; also 5-3, 3.59 in AAA with eight saves overall), and southpaw reliever Pat Larkin (3-4, 1.83, 12 saves).

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Boggs, Wade, Bos. *	.361	153	582	100	210	283	44	7	5	74	3	3	Henderson, Steve, Sea.	.294	121	436	50	128	196	32	3	10	54	10	14
Carew, Rod, Calif. *	.339	129	472	66	160	194	24	2	2	44	6	7	Herndon, Larry, Det.	.302	153	603	88	182	288	28	9	20	92	9	3
Whitaker, Lou, Det. *	.320	161	643	94	206	294	40	6	12	72	17	10	Hoffman, Glenn, Bos.	.260	143	473	56	123	161	24	1	4	41	1	1
Trammell, Alan, Det.	.319	142	505	83	161	238	31	2	14	66	30	10	Hostetler, Dave, Tex.	.220	94	304	31	67	113	9	2	11	46	0	2
Ripken, Cal, Balt.	.318	162	663	121	211	343	47	2	27	102	0	4	Hrbek, Kent, Minn. *	.297	141	515	75	153	252	41	5	16	84	4	6
Moseby, Lloyd, Tor. *	.315	151	539	104	170	269	31	7	18	81	27	8	Iorg, Garth, Tor.	.275	122	375	40	103	141	22	5	2	39	7	0
McRae, Hal, K.C. *	.311	157	589	84	183	272	41	6	12	82	2	3	Jackson, Reggie, Calif. *	.194	116	397	43	77	135	14	1	14	49	0	2
Brett, George, K.C. *	.310	123	464	90	144	261	38	2	25	93	0	1	Jackson, Ron, Calif.	.230	102	348	41	80	122	16	1	8	39	2	3
Simmons, Ted, Milw. #	.308	153	600	76	185	269	39	3	13	108	4	2	Kearney, Bob, Oak.	.255	108	298	33	76	111	11	0	8	32	1	4
Yount, Robin, Milw.	.308	149	578	102	178	291	42	10	17	80	12	4	Kemp, Steve, N.Y. *	.241	109	373	53	90	149	17	3	12	49	1	0
Cooper, Cecil, Milw. *	.307	160	661	106	203	336	37	3	30	126	2	1	Kittle, Ron, Chgo.	.254	145	520	75	132	262	19	3	35	100	8	3
Garcia, Damaso, Tor.	.307	131	525	84	161	205	23	6	3	38	31	17	Law, Rudy, Chgo. *	.283	141	501	95	142	185	20	7	3	34	77	12
Murray, Eddie, Balt. #	.306	156	582	115	178	313	30	3	33	111	5	1	Law, Vance, Chgo.	.243	145	408	55	99	142	21	5	4	42	3	1
Upshaw, Willie, Tor. *	.306	160	579	99	177	298	26	7	27	104	10	7	Leach, Rick, Det. *	.248	99	242	22	60	86	17	0	3	26	2	2
Rice, Jim, Bos.	.305	155	626	90	191	344	34	1	39	126	0	2	Lemon, Chet, Det.	.255	145	491	78	125	228	21	5	24	69	0	7
													Lopes, Davey, Oak.	.277	147	494	64	137	209	13	4	17	67	22	4
													Lowenstein, John, Balt. *	.281	122	310	52	87	149	13	2	15	60	2	1
													Luzinski, Greg, Chgo.	.255	144	502	73	128	252	26	1	32	95	2	1
													Lynn, Fred, Calif. *	.272	117	437	56	119	211	20	3	22	74	2	2
													Manning, Rick, Clev.-Milw. *	.246	158	569	60	140	180	20	4	4	43	18	5
													Miller, Rick, Bos. *	.286	104	262	41	75	95	10	2	2	21	3	3
													Molitor, Paul, Milw.	.270	152	608	95	164	249	28	6	15	47	41	7
													Moore, Charlie, Milw.	.284	151	529	65	150	195	27	6	2	49	11	4
													Mulliniks, Rance, Tor. *	.275	129	364	54	100	170	34	3	10	49	0	2
													Murphy, Dwayne, Oak. *	.227	130	471	55	107	179	17	2	17	75	7	5
													Nelson, Rickey, Sea.	.254	98	291	32	74	108	13	3	5	36	7	4
													Nettel, Graig, N.Y. *	.266	129	462	56	123	206	17	3	20	75	0	1
													Nichols, Reid, Bos.	.285	100	274	35	78	120	22	1	6	22	7	5
													O'Brien, Peter, Tex. *	.237	154	524	53	124	182	24	5	8	53	5	4
													Oglivie, Ben, Milw. *	.280	125	411	49	115	179	19	3	13	66	4	6
													Orta, Jorge, Tor. *	.237	103	245	30	58	100	6	3	10	38	1	2
													Otis, Amos, K.C.	.261	98	356	35	93	127	16	3	4	41	5	2
													Paciorek, Tom, Chgo.	.307	115	420	65	129	194	32	3	9	63	6	1
													Parrish, Lance, Det.	.269	155	605	80	163	292	42	3	27	114	1	3
													Parrish, Larry, Tex.	.272	145	555	76	151	263	26	4	26	88	0	0
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													Putnam, Pat, Sea. *	.269	144	469	58	126	210	23	2	19	67	2	1
													Randolph, Willie, N.Y.	.279	104	420	73	117	146	21	1	2	38	12	4
													Remy, Jerry, Bos. *	.275	146	592	73	163	189	16	5	0	43	11	3
													Rivers, Mickey, Tex. *	.285	96	309	37	88	108	17	0	1	20	9	4
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													Sweet, Rick, Sea. #	.221	93	249	18	55	67	9	0	1	22	2	2
													Tabler, Pat, Clev.	.291	124	430	56	125	176	23	5	6	65	2	4
													Thomas, Gorman, Milw.-Clev.	.209	152	535	72	112	203	23	1	22	69	10	4
													Thornton, Andre, Clev.	.281	141	508	78	143	223	27	1	17	77	4	2
													Tolleson, Wayne, Tex. #	.260	134	470	64	122	148	13	2	3	20	33	10
													Vukovich, George, Clev. *	.247	124	312	31	77	103	13	2	3	44	3	4
													Walker, Greg, Chgo. *	.270	118	307	32	83	135	16	3	10	55	2	1
													Ward, Gary, Minn.	.278	157	623	76	173	274	34	5	19	88	6	1
													Washington, Ron, Minn.	.246	99	317	28	78	103	7	3	4	26	10	5
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													Wathan, John, K.C.	.245	128	437	49	107	137	18	3	2	32	28	7
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Madlock, Bill, Pitt	.323	130	473	68	153	210	21	0	12	68	3	4	Herr, Thomas, St.L.#	.323	89	313	43	101	129	14	4	2	31	6	8
Smith, Lonnie, St. L.	.321	130	492	83	158	223	31	5	8	45	43	18	Hodges, Ronald, N.Y.*	.260	110	250	20	65	77	12	0	0	21	0	3
Cruz, Jose, Hou.*	.318	160	594	85	189	275	28	8	14	92	30	16	Horne, J. Robert, Atl.	.303	104	386	75	117	204	25	1	20	68	4	2
Hendrick, George, St. L.	.318	144	529	73	168	261	33	3	18	97	3	4	Householder, Paul, Cin.#	.255	123	380	40	97	147	24	4	6	43	12	12
Knight, C. Ray, Hou.	.304	145	507	43	154	225	36	4	9	70	0	3	Hubbard, Glenn, Atl.	.263	148	517	65	136	208	24	6	12	70	3	8
Murphy, Dale, Atl.	.302	162	589	131	178	318	24	4	36	121	30	4	Johnson, Randall G., Atl.	.250	86	144	22	36	42	3	0	1	17	1	3
Moreland, B. Keith, Chi.	.302	154	533	76	161	245	30	3	16	70	0	3	Johnstone, John, Chi.*	.257	86	140	16	36	61	7	0	6	22	1	1
Pena, Antonio, Pitt.	.301	151	542	51	163	236	22	3	15	70	6	7	Jones, Ruppert, S.D.*	.233	133	335	42	78	132	12	3	12	49	11	11
Oliver, Albert, Mil.*	.300	157	614	70	184	252	38	3	8	84	1	3	Jorgensen, Michael, N.Y.-Atl.*	.250	95	72	10	18	28	4	0	2	11	0	1
Dawson, Andre, Mtl.	.299	159	633	104	189	341	36	10	32	113	25	11	Kennedy, Terrence, S.D.*	.284	149	549	47	156	238	27	2	17	98	1	3
Guerrero, Pedro, L.A.	.298	160	584	87	174	310	28	6	32	103	23	7	Kingman, David, N.Y.	.198	100	248	25	49	95	7	0	13	29	2	1
Raines, Timothy, Mtl.#	.298	156	615	133	183	264	32	8	11	71	90	14	Lacy, Leondaus, Pitt.	.302	108	288	40	87	117	12	3	4	13	31	13
Ramirez, Rafael, Atl.	.297	152	622	82	185	229	13	5	7	58	16	12	Landreaux, Kenneth, L.A.*	.281	141	481	63	135	217	25	3	17	66	30	11
Hernandez, Keith, St.L.-N.Y.*	.297	150	538	77	160	233	23	7	12	63	9	5	Lefebvre, Joseph, S.D.-Phil.*	.306	119	278	35	85	145	20	8	8	39	5	3
Oberkell, Kenneth, St.L.*	.293	151	488	62	143	188	26	5	3	38	12	6	LeMaster, Johnnie, S.F.	.240	141	534	81	128	164	16	1	6	30	39	19
73 OR MORE GAMES													Leonard, Jeffrey, S.F.	.279	139	516	74	144	238	17	7	21	87	26	7
Ashby, Alan, Hou.#	.229	87	275	31	63	107	18	1	8	34	0	0	Lezcano, Sixto, S.D.-Phil.	.239	115	356	49	85	125	12	2	8	56	1	0
Bailor, Robert, N.Y.	.250	118	340	33	85	96	8	0	1	30	18	3	Little, R. Bryan, Mtl.#	.260	106	350	48	91	115	15	3	1	36	4	5
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Bench, Johnny, Cin.	.255	110	310	32	79	134	15	2	12	54	0	1	Matthews, Gary, Phil.	.258	132	446	66	115	167	18	2	10	50	13	9
Benedict, Bruce, Atl.	.298	134	423	43	126	147	13	1	2	43	1	3	Mazilli, Lee, Pitt.#	.240	109	246	37	59	83	9	0	5	24	15	5
Bergman, David, S.F.*	.286	90	140	16	40	64	4	1	6	24	2	1	McGee, Willie, St.L.#	.286	147	601	75	172	225	22	8	5	75	39	8
Berra, Dale, Pitt.	.251	161	537	51	135	192	25	1	10	52	8	5	Milner, Eddie, Cin.*	.261	146	502	77	131	193	23	6	9	33	41	12
Bevacqua, Kurt, S.D.	.244	74	156	17	38	51	7	0	2	24	0	3	Monday, Robert, L.A.*	.247	99	178	21	44	71	7	1	6	20	0	0
Bilardello, Dann, Cin.	.238	109	298	27	71	116	18	0	9	38	2	1	Moreno, Omar, Hou.*	.242	97	405	48	98	132	12	11	0	25	30	13
Bonilla, Juan, S.D.	.237	152	556	55	132	169	17	4	4	45	3	0	Morgan, Joe, Phil.*	.230	123	404	72	93	163	20	1	16	59	18	2
Bowa, Lawrence, Chi.#	.267	147	499	73	133	169	20	5	2	43	7	3	Oester, Ronald, Cin.#	.264	157	549	63	145	211	23	5	11	58	2	2
Bradley, Mark, N.Y.	.202	73	104	10	21	34	4	0	3	5	4	2	O'Malley, Thomas, S.F.*	.259	135	410	40	106	139	16	1	5	45	2	4
Braun, Stephen, St.L.	.272	78	92	8	25	38	2	1	3	7	0	1	Oquendo, Jose, N.Y.	.213	120	328	29	70	80	7	0	1	17	8	9
Brenly, Robert, S.F.	.224	104	281	36	63	100	12	2	7	34	10	7	Parker, David, Pitt.*	.279	144	552	68	154	227	29	4	12	69	12	9
Brock, Gregory, L.A.*	.224	146	455	64	102	180	14	2	20	66	5	1	Perez, Alansio, Phil.	.241	91	253	18	61	94	11	2	6	43	1	0
Brooks, Hubert, N.Y.	.251	150	586	53	147	188	18	4	5	58	6	4	Porter, Darrell, St.L.*	.262	145	443	57	116	191	24	3	15	66	1	3
Buckner, William, Chi.*	.280	153	626	79	175	273	38	6	16	66	12	4	Puhl, Terry, Hou.*	.292	137	465	66	136	199	25	7	8	44	24	11
Butler, Brett, Atl.*	.281	151	549	84	154	216	21	13	5	37	39	23	Ramsey, Michael, St.L.#	.263	97	175	25	46	59	4	3	1	16	4	2
Carter, Gary, Mtl.	.270	145	541	63	146	240	37	3	17	79	1	1	Ray, Johnny, Pitt.#	.283	151	576	68	163	230	38	7	5	53	18	9
Cedeno, Cesar, Cin.	.232	98	332	40	77	120	16	0	9	39	13	9	Redus, Gary, Cin.	.247	125	453	90	112	201	20	9	17	51	39	14
Cey, Ronald, Chi.	.275	159	581	73	160	267	33	1	24	90	0	0	Richards, Eugene, S.D.*	.275	95	233	37	64	90	11	3	2	12	14	5
Chambliss, C. Christopher, Atl.*	.280	131	447	59	125	215	24	3	20	78	2	7	Roenicke, Ronald, L.A.#	.221	81	145	12	32	42	4	0	2	13	3	2
Clark, Jack, S.F.	.268	135	492	82	132	217	25	0	20	66	5	3	Rose, Peter, Phil.#	.245	151	493	52	121	141	14	3	0	45	7	7
Concepcion, David, Cin.	.233	143	528	54	123	148	22	0	1	47	14	9	Royster, Jeron, Atl.	.235	91	268	32	63	88	10	3	3	30	11	7
Cromartie, Warren, Mtl.*	.278	120	360	37	100	139	26	2	3	43	8	3	Russell, William, L.A.	.246	131	451	47	111	129	13	1	1	30	13	9
Davis, Charles, S.F.#	.233	137	486	54	113	171	21	2	11	59	10	12	Salazar, Luis, S.D.	.258	134	481	52	124	186	16	2	14	45	24	9
Davis, Jody, Chi.	.271	151	510	56	138	245	31	2	24	84	0	2	Sandberg, Ryne, Chi.	.261	158	633	94	165	222	25	4	8	48	37	11
DeJesus, Ivan, Phil.	.254	158	497	60	126	167	15	7	4	45	11	4	Sax, Stephen, L.A.	.281	155	623	94	175	218	18	5	5	41	56	30
Dernier, Robert, Phil.	.231	122	221	41	51	64	10	0	1	15	35	7	Schmidt, Michael, Phil.	.255	154	534	104	136	280	16	4	40	109	7	8
Diaz, Baudilio, Phil.	.236	136	471	49	111	173	17	0	15	64	1	4	Scott, Anthony, Hou.#	.226	80	186	20	42	56	6	1	2	17	5	4
Doran, William, Hou.#	.271	154	535	70	145	195	12	7	8	39	12	12	Smith, Osborne, St.L.#	.243	159	552	69	134	185	30	6	3	50	34	7
Driessen, Daniel, Cin.*	.277	122	386	57	107	162	17	1	12	57	6	4	Speier, Chris, Mtl.	.257	88	261	31	67	89	12	2	2	22	2	1
Durham, Leon, Chi.*	.258	100	337	58	87	157	18	8	12	55	12	6	Staub, Daniel, N.Y.*	.296	104	115	5	34	49	6	0	3	28	0	0
Easler, Michael, Pitt.*	.307	115	381	44	117	168	17	2	10	54	4	2	Strawberry, Darryl, N.Y.*	.257	122	420	63	108	215	15	7	26	74	19	6
Esasky, Nicholas, Cin.	.265	85	302	41	80	136	10	5	12	46	6	2	Templeton, Garry, S.D.#	.263	126	460	39	121	154	20	2	3	40	16	6
Evans, Darrell, S.F.*	.277	142	523	94	145	270	29	3	30	82	6	6	Thomas, Derrel, L.A.#	.250	118	192	38	48	72	6	6	2	8	9	3
Flannery, Timothy, S.D.*	.234	92	214	24	50	72	7	3	3	19	2	2	Thompson, Jason, Pitt.*	.259	152	517	70	134	210	20	1	18	76	1	0
Flynn, R. Douglas, Mtl.	.237	143	452	44	107	133	18	4	0	26	2	1	Thon, Richard, Hou.	.286	154	619	81	177	283	28	9	20	79	34	16
Foster, George, N.Y.	.241	157	601	74	145	252	19	2	28	90	1	1	Trevino, Alejandro, Cin.	.216	74	167	14	36	49	8	1	1	13	0	0
Francona, Terry, Mtl.*	.257	120	230	21	59	81	11	1	3	22	0	2	Van Slyke, Andrew, St.L.*	.262	101	309	51	81	130	15	5	8	38	21	7
Garcia, Alfonso, Phil.	.288	84	118	22	34	49	7	1	2	9	1	2	Venable, W. McKinley, S.F.*	.219	94	228	28	50	83	7	4	6	27	15	2
Garner, Philip, Hou.	.238	154	567	76	135	205	24	2	14	79	18	12	Walker, Duane, Cin.*	.236	109	225	14	53	73	12	1	2	29	6	3
Garvey, Steven, S.D.	.294	100	388	76	114	178	22	0	14	59	4	1	Wallach, Timothy, Mtl.	.269	156	581	54	156	252	33	3	19	70	0	3
Giles, Brian, N.Y.	.245	145</																							

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PLAYER TEAM	SLG	G	SH	SF	HB	TBB	IBB	SO	GDP	PLAYER TEAM	SLG	G	SH	SF	HB	TBB	IBB	SO	GDP
Brett, George, K.C.*	.563	123	0	3	1	57	13	38	9	Henderson, Steve, Sea.	.450	121	1	3	0	44	2	82	9
Rice, Jim, Bos.	.550	155	0	5	6	52	10	102	31	Herndon, Larry, Det.	.478	153	0	6	3	46	6	95	20
Murray, Eddie, Balt. #	.538	156	0	9	3	86	13	90	13	Hoffman, Glenn, Bos.	.340	143	11	2	2	30	1	76	5
Fisk, Carlton, Chi.	.518	138	2	3	6	46	3	88	8	Hostetler, Dave, Tex.	.372	94	0	2	5	42	1	103	10
Ripken, Cal, Balt.	.517	162	0	5	0	58	0	97	24	Jorg, Garth, Tor.	.376	122	2	3	1	13	3	45	10
Upshaw, Willie, Tor.*	.515	160	3	7	5	61	8	98	8	Jackson, Reggie, Calif.*	.340	116	0	5	4	52	5	140	5
Winfield, Dave, N.Y.	.513	152	0	6	2	58	2	77	30	Jackson, Ron, Calif.	.351	102	1	0	3	27	2	33	10
Cooper, Cecil, Milw.*	.508	160	3	8	1	37	7	63	17	Johnson, Cliff, Tor.	.489	142	1	4	5	67	8	69	10
Kittle, Ron, Chi.	.504	145	0	3	8	39	8	150	10	Kearney, Bob, Oak.	.372	108	4	1	4	21	1	50	12
Yount, Robin, Milw.	.503	149	1	8	3	72	6	58	10	Kemp, Steve, N.Y.*	.399	109	1	2	2	41	3	37	17
Luzinski, Greg, Chi.	.502	144	0	10	11	70	6	117	10	Law, Rudy, Chgo.*	.369	141	4	2	2	42	2	36	4
Moseby, Lloyd, Tor.*	.499	151	3	6	5	51	4	85	10	Law, Vance, Chgo.	.348	145	6	5	1	51	1	56	7
Baylor, Don, N.Y.	.494	144	2	8	13	40	11	53	10	Leach, Rick, Det.*	.355	99	0	0	1	19	1	21	6
Hrbek, Kent, Minn.*	.489	141	0	7	3	57	5	71	12	Lemon, Chet, Det.	.464	145	4	4	20	54	1	70	12
Boggs, Wade, Bos.*	.486	153	3	7	1	92	2	36	15	Lopes, Davey, Oak.	.423	147	4	10	2	51	7	61	9
94 OR MORE GAMES																			
Aikens, Willie, K.C.*	.539	125	0	1	2	45	9	75	16	Lowenstein, John, Balt.*	.481	122	0	6	1	49	1	55	2
Almon, Bill, Oak.	.361	143	5	11	2	26	3	67	8	Lynn, Fred, Calif.*	.483	117	0	6	2	55	10	83	7
Armas, Tony, Bos.	.453	145	0	8	2	29	0	131	31	Manning, Rick, Clev.-Milw.*	.316	158	3	4	1	38	5	62	13
Baines, Harold, Chgo.*	.443	156	3	6	1	49	13	85	15	McRae, Hal, K.C.	.462	157	0	5	10	50	7	68	18
Bannister, Alan, Clev.	.393	117	7	4	3	31	0	43	7	Miller, Rick, Bos.*	.363	104	1	1	1	28	1	30	6
Barfield, Jesse, Tor.	.510	128	1	5	4	22	0	110	8	Molitor, Paul, Milw.	.410	152	7	6	2	59	4	74	12
Bell, Buddy, Tex.	.411	156	0	6	4	50	5	48	24	Moore, Charlie, Milw.	.369	151	14	3	4	55	5	42	14
Bernazard, Tony, Chgo.-Sea.#	.385	139	9	7	2	55	3	97	9	Mulliniks, Rance, Tor.*	.467	129	3	2	1	57	5	43	14
Bonnell, Barry, Tor.	.469	121	2	5	0	33	5	52	8	Murphy, Dwayne, Oak.*	.380	130	7	6	0	62	4	105	16
Boone, Bob, Calif.	.353	142	10	7	0	24	1	42	19	Nelson, Rickey, Sea.*	.371	98	2	1	0	17	3	50	4
Brookens, Tom, Det.	.325	138	5	6	2	29	2	46	3	Nettles, Graig, N.Y.*	.446	129	0	3	3	51	2	65	9
Brunansky, Tom, Minn.	.445	151	1	3	4	61	4	95	13	Nichols, Reid, Bos.	.438	100	3	1	3	26	2	36	5
Bumbry, Al, Balt.*	.357	124	4	3	0	31	2	33	1	O'Brien, Peter, Tex.*	.347	154	3	2	1	58	2	62	11
Burroughs, Jeff, Oak.	.387	121	0	7	0	47	4	79	16	Oglivie, Ben, Milw.*	.436	125	0	8	4	60	12	64	9
Bush, Randy, Minn.*	.418	124	0	1	7	34	8	51	7	Orta, Jorge, Tor.*	.408	103	0	4	0	19	0	29	6
Cabell, Enos, Det.	.434	121	5	6	1	16	2	41	14	Otis, Amos, K.C.	.357	98	0	1	0	27	3	63	7
Carew, Rod, Calif.*	.411	129	3	3	1	57	9	48	15	Paciorek, Tom, Chgo.	.462	115	4	4	3	25	4	58	11
Castino, John, Minn.	.403	142	10	4	1	62	1	54	11	Parrish, Lance, Det.	.483	155	0	13	1	44	7	106	21
Collins, Dave, Tor.#	.328	118	2	2	2	43	1	67	6	Parrish, Larry, Tex.	.474	145	0	9	3	46	8	91	20
Cowens, Al, Sea.	.329	110	0	3	2	23	0	38	13	Phillips, Tony, Oak.#	.320	148	11	3	2	48	1	70	5
Cruz, Julio, Sea.-Chgo.#	.326	160	5	7	4	49	1	66	12	Putnam, Pat, Sea.*	.448	144	1	5	3	39	8	57	12
Cruz, Todd, Sea.-Balt.	.311	146	10	3	3	22	2	108	14	Randolph, Willie, N.Y.	.348	104	3	0	1	53	0	32	11
Dauer, Rich, Balt.	.309	140	7	5	2	47	2	29	20	Remy, Jerry, Bos.*	.319	146	12	3	0	40	2	35	12
Davis, Mike, Oak.*	.402	128	5	4	5	27	1	74	9	Rivers, Mickey, Tex.*	.350	96	5	3	1	11	0	21	1
De Cinces, Doug, Calif.	.495	95	1	8	0	32	2	56	13	Robertson, Andre, N.Y.	.326	98	7	3	3	8	0	54	8
Dempsey, Rick, Balt.	.323	127	5	5	3	40	1	55	9	Roenicke, Gary, Balt.	.477	115	4	5	4	30	2	35	9
Dent, Bucky, Tex.	.297	131	7	2	1	23	0	31	3	Sample, Billy, Tex.	.401	147	4	4	5	44	2	46	7
Downing, Brian, Calif.	.429	113	1	2	5	62	4	59	7	Sconiers, Daryl, Calif.*	.430	106	2	1	0	17	2	41	8
Dwyer, Jim, Balt.*	.505	100	1	1	0	31	3	29	3	Shelby, John, Balt.#	.363	126	6	0	0	18	2	64	2
Dybzinski, Gerry, Chgo.	.289	127	11	3	2	18	0	29	8	Sheridan, Pat, K.C.*	.381	109	4	0	0	20	0	64	3
Engle, Dave, Minn.	.449	120	0	5	1	28	1	39	13	Simmons, Ted, Milw.#	.448	153	0	7	2	41	6	51	22
Evans, Dwight, Bos.	.436	126	0	2	2	70	5	97	12	Singleton, Ken, Balt.#	.436	151	2	3	1	99	19	83	22
Fischlin, Mike, Clev.	.276	95	11	2	2	26	0	32	2	Smalley, Roy, N.Y.#	.452	130	5	4	2	58	2	68	9
Fletcher, Scott, Chgo.	.370	114	7	2	2	29	0	22	8	Squires, Mike, Chgo.*	.281	143	2	1	2	22	3	11	2
Ford, Dan, Balt.	.440	103	3	6	3	29	1	55	9	Stapleton, Dave, Bos.	.363	151	6	8	2	40	2	44	19
Franco, Julio, Clev.	.388	149	3	6	2	27	1	50	22	Sundberg, Jim, Tex.	.254	131	7	1	2	35	0	64	8
Gaetti, Gary, Minn.	.414	157	0	8	4	54	2	121	18	Tabler, Pat, Clev.	.409	124	0	5	1	56	1	63	18
Gantner, Jim, Milw.*	.401	161	11	4	6	38	5	46	11	Thomas, Gorman, Milw.-Clev.	.379	152	4	8	2	80	3	148	13
Garcia, Damaso, Tor.	.390	131	5	5	2	24	3	34	10	Thornton, Andre, Clev.	.439	141	0	8	2	87	14	72	10
Gibson, Kirk, Det.*	.414	128	5	4	4	53	3	96	2	Tolleson, Wayne, Tex.#	.315	134	7	2	2	40	0	68	8
Grich, Bobby, Calif.	.460	120	4	3	7	76	2	62	11	Trammell, Alan, Det.	.471	142	15	4	0	57	2	64	7
Griffey, Ken, N.Y.*	.437	118	3	2	2	34	3	45	3	Vukovich, George, Clev.*	.330	124	3	4	2	24	4	37	8
Griffin, Alfredo, Tor.#	.348	162	11	3	3	27	0	44	5	Walker, Greg, Chgo.	.440	118	0	3	2	28	3	57	3
Gross, Wayne, Oak.*	.392	137	4	2	3	36	4	52	5	Ward, Gary, Minn.	.440	157	1	5	3	44	2	98	24
Hairston, Jerry, Chgo.#	.500	101	0	2	0	23	4	16	1	Washington, Ron, Minn.	.325	99	3	1	1	22	1	50	7
Hancock, Garry, Oak.*	.418	101	3	1	1	5	4	13	3	Washington, U.L., K.C.#	.320	144	7	1	1	48	0	78	3
Hargrove, Mike, Clev.*	.367	134	7	7	5	78	5	40	10	Wathan, John, K.C.	.314	128	2	2	1	27	0	57	13
Harrah, Toby, Clev.	.365	138	4	3	7	75	1	49	11	Whitaker, Lou, Det.*	.457	161	2	8	0	67	8	70	8
Hassey, Ron, Clev.*	.384	117	2	5	2	38	2	35	10	White, Frank, K.C.	.406	146	4	6	0	20	4	51	18
Hatcher, Mickey, Minn.	.445	106	3	2	1	14	0	19	12	Whitt, Ernie, Tor.*	.459	123	1	5	0	50	5	55	9
Heath, Mike, Oak.	.383	96	1	1	1	18	4	59	9	Wilson, Glenn, Det.	.408	144	0	2	3	25	1	79	8
Henderson, Dave, Sea.	.444	137	2	6	1	28	3	93	5	Wilson, Willie, K.C.#	.352	137	1	0	1	33	2	75	4
Henderson, Rickey, Oak.	.421	145	1	1	4	108	8	80	11	Wright, George, Tex.#	.424	162	1	3	2	41	9	82	9
										Wynegar, Butch, N.Y.#	.429	94	1	2	1	52	1	29	7
										Yastrzemski, Carl, Bos.*	.408	119	0	1	2	54	11	29	13

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Murphy, Dale, Atl.	.540	162	0	6	2	90	12	110	15	Hubbard, Glenn, Atl.	.402	148	9	7	4	55	2	71	12
Dawson, Andre, Mtl.	.539	159	0	18	9	38	12	81	14	Johnson, Randall G., Atl.	.292	86	4	0	1	20	3	27	4
Guerrero, Pedro, L.A.	.531	160	0	6	2	72	12	110	11	Johnstone, John, Chi.	.436	86	2	0	3	20	6	24	4
Schmidt, Mike, Phil.	.524	154	0	4	3	128	17	148	10	Jones, Ruppert, S.D.*	.394	133	2	0	0	35	4	58	8
Evans, Darrell, S.F.*	.516	142	0	2	2	84	12	81	8	Jorgensen, Michael, N.Y.-Atl.*	.389	95	0	1	1	10	0	12	2
Hendrick, George, St. L.	.493	144	0	11	2	51	15	76	12	Kennedy, Terrence, S.D.*	.434	149	1	9	2	51	15	89	10
Chambliss, Chris, Atl.*	.481	131	0	3	0	63	15	68	8	Kingman, David, N.Y.	.383	100	1	1	1	22	1	57	2
Davis, Jody, Chi.	.480	151	0	5	2	33	5	93	16	Knight, C. Ray, Hou.	.444	145	3	11	4	42	9	62	17
Cruz, Jose, Hou.*	.463	160	1	3	1	65	10	86	4	Lacy, Leonidas, Pitt.	.406	108	3	0	0	22	2	36	2
Leonard, Jeff, S.F.	.461	139	0	6	1	35	2	116	10	Lefebvre, Joseph, S.D.-Phil.*	.522	119	1	2	3	33	6	49	9
Cey, Ron, Chi.	.460	159	1	9	5	62	11	85	20	LeMaster, Johnnie, S.F.	.307	141	8	4	2	60	3	96	3
Moreland, Keith, Chi.	.460	154	5	10	3	68	8	73	16	Lezcano, Sixto, S.D.-Phil.	.351	115	5	4	1	52	3	75	8
Thon, Dickie, Hou.	.457	154	3	8	2	54	10	73	12	Little, R. Bryan, Mtl.#	.329	106	5	4	2	50	1	22	10
Smith, Lonnie, St. L.	.453	130	1	4	9	41	2	55	11	Maddox, Garry, Phil.	.367	97	2	1	1	17	5	31	9
Landreaux, Ken, L.A.*	.451	141	2	5	2	34	5	52	9	Madlock, Bill, Pitt.	.444	130	1	5	2	49	10	24	16
73 OR MORE GAMES										Marshall, Michael, L.A.	.434	140	0	5	5	43	4	127	8
Ashby, Alan, Hou.#	.389	87	1	4	0	31	4	38	12	Matthews, Gary, Phil.	.374	132	4	7	0	69	3	81	8
Bailor, Robert, N.Y.	.282	118	3	4	1	20	2	23	11	Mazzilli, Lee, Pitt.#	.337	109	4	4	2	49	1	43	8
Baker, Johnnie, L.A.	.395	149	4	7	2	72	2	59	9	McGee, Willie, St.L.#	.374	147	1	3	0	26	2	98	8
Bass, Kevin, Hou.#	.333	88	4	1	0	6	1	27	2	Miller, Eddie, Cin.*	.384	146	12	1	1	68	2	60	11
Bench, Johnny, Cin.	.432	110	0	0	0	24	1	38	13	Monday, Robert, L.A.*	.399	99	0	1	0	29	9	42	3
Benedict, Bruce, Atl.	.348	134	4	3	1	61	16	24	12	Moreno, Omar, Hou.*	.326	97	0	1	1	22	3	72	2
Bergman, David, S.F.*	.457	90	2	0	1	24	2	21	5	Morgan, Joe, Phil.*	.403	123	1	6	4	89	1	54	13
Berra, Dale, Pitt.	.358	161	7	2	0	61	19	84	10	Oberkell, Kenneth, St.L.*	.385	151	4	3	1	61	5	27	12
Bevacqua, Kurt, S.D.	.327	74	2	1	0	18	1	33	3	Oester, Ronald, Cin.#	.384	157	7	6	1	49	14	106	17
Bilardello, Dann, Cin.	.389	109	2	4	1	15	3	49	9	Oliver, Albert, Mtl.*	.410	157	1	3	2	44	17	44	21
Bonilla, Juan, S.D.	.304	152	3	5	3	50	11	40	19	O'Malley, Thomas, S.F.*	.339	135	4	3	4	52	4	47	12
Bowa, Lawrence, Chi.#	.339	147	6	4	0	35	1	30	3	Oquendo, Jose, N.Y.	.244	120	3	1	2	19	2	60	10
Braun, Stephen, St.L.*	.413	78	0	1	0	21	0	7	1	Ortiz, Adalberto, Pitt-N.Y.	.275	73	2	0	1	4	0	34	1
Brenly, Robert, S.F.	.356	104	1	2	2	37	6	48	12	Parker, David, Pitt.	.411	144	0	6	0	28	6	89	11
Brock, Gregory, L.A.*	.396	146	0	4	1	83	12	81	13	Pena, Antonio, Pitt.	.435	151	6	1	0	31	8	73	13
Brooks, Hubert, N.Y.	.321	150	7	3	4	24	2	96	14	Perez, Atanasio, Phil.	.372	91	0	3	1	28	1	57	9
Buckner, William, Chi.*	.436	153	4	5	5	25	5	30	10	Porter, Darrell, St.L.*	.431	145	1	3	4	68	12	94	8
Butler, Brett, Atl.*	.393	151	3	5	2	54	3	56	5	Puhl, Terry, Hou.*	.428	137	5	4	2	36	2	48	4
Carter, Gary, Mtl.	.444	145	2	8	7	51	7	57	14	Raines, Timothy, Mtl.#	.429	156	2	4	2	97	9	70	12
Cedeno, Cesar, Cin.	.361	98	1	6	3	33	2	53	2	Ramirez, Rafael, Atl.	.368	152	6	2	2	36	4	48	8
Clark, Jack, S.F.	.441	135	0	7	1	74	6	79	14	Ramsey, Michael, St.L.#	.337	97	1	3	1	12	2	23	4
Concepcion, David, Cin.	.280	143	2	7	0	56	9	81	21	Ray, Johnny, Pitt.#	.399	151	10	2	0	35	3	26	11
Cromartie, Warren, Mtl.*	.386	120	1	5	1	43	7	48	11	Redus, Gary, Cin.	.444	125	2	2	3	71	4	111	6
Davis, Charles, S.F.#	.352	137	3	9	0	55	6	108	9	Richards, Eugene, S.D.*	.386	95	0	1	1	17	1	17	8
DeJesus, Ivan, Phil.	.336	158	11	4	0	53	18	77	7	Roenicke, Ronald, L.A.#	.290	81	4	1	0	14	1	26	5
Dernier, Robert, Phil.	.290	122	5	1	0	18	0	21	2	Rose, Peter, Phi.#	.286	151	1	7	2	52	5	28	11
Diaz, Baudilio, Phil.	.367	136	4	1	2	38	4	57	10	Royster, Jeron, Atl.	.328	91	5	2	0	28	2	35	12
Doran, William, Hou.#	.364	154	7	1	0	86	11	67	6	Russell, William, L.A.	.286	131	12	2	4	33	4	31	5
Dreissen, Daniel, Cin.*	.420	122	0	6	0	75	10	51	12	Salazar, Luis, S.D.	.387	134	8	2	2	17	8	80	4
Durham, Leon, Chi.*	.466	100	0	3	3	66	12	83	4	Sandberg, Ryne, Chi.	.351	158	7	5	3	51	3	79	8
Easler, Michael, Pitt.*	.441	115	1	1	3	22	1	64	10	Sax, Stephen, L.A.	.350	155	8	2	1	58	3	73	8
Esasky, Nicholas, Cin.	.450	85	0	3	3	27	1	99	5	Scott, Anthony, Hou.#	.301	80	1	4	0	11	0	39	0
Flannery, Timothy, S.D.*	.336	92	2	4	5	20	8	23	4	Smith, Osborne, St.L.#	.335	159	7	2	1	64	9	36	10
Flynn, R. Douglas, Mtl.	.294	143	5	1	0	19	8	38	12	Speier, Chris, Mtl.	.341	88	3	3	2	29	4	37	4
Foster, George, N.Y.	.419	157	0	4	4	38	5	111	19	Staub, Daniel, N.Y.*	.426	104	0	2	1	14	3	10	4
Francona, Terry, Mtl.*	.352	120	0	2	0	6	2	20	7	Strawberry, Darryl, N.Y.*	.512	122	0	2	4	47	9	128	5
Garcia, Alfonso, Phil.	.415	84	3	0	1	9	2	20	6	Templeton, Garry, S.D.#	.335	126	7	2	0	21	7	57	16
Garner, Philip, Hou.	.362	154	3	6	5	63	8	84	4	Thomas, Derrel, L.A.#	.375	118	4	2	2	27	2	36	4
Garvey, Steven, S.D.	.459	100	0	5	3	29	11	39	16	Thompson, Jason, Pitt*	.406	152	0	6	1	99	7	128	14
Giles, Brian, N.Y.	.298	145	4	3	2	36	1	77	8	Trevino, Alejandro, Cin.	.293	74	1	2	0	17	6	20	3
Green, David, St.L.	.422	146	3	4	1	26	1	76	13	Van Slyke, Andrew, St.L.*	.421	101	2	3	1	46	5	64	4
Gross, Gregory, Phil.*	.376	136	1	3	1	34	4	16	6	Venable, W. McKinley, S.F.*	.364	94	2	1	3	22	1	34	3
Gwynn, Anthony, S.D.*	.372	86	4	3	0	23	5	21	9	Walker, Duane, Cin.*	.324	109	0	2	0	20	4	43	0
Hall, Melvin, Chi.*	.488	112	1	2	3	42	6	101	4	Wallach, Timothy, Mtl.	.434	156	0	5	6	55	8	97	9
Harper, Terry, Atl.	.383	80	1	1	1	20	0	43	6	Walling, Dennis, Hou.*	.444	100	1	1	0	15	1	16	1
Hayes, Von, Phil.*	.370	124	0	2	3	36	7	55	11	Washington, Claudell, Atl.*	.413	134	1	6	0	35	6	103	8
Hebner, Richard, Pitt.*	.395	78	2	4	1	17	4	28	3	Wellman, Brad, S.F.	.247	82	1	2	0	22	1	39	5
Heep, Daniel, N.Y.*	.395	115	1	5	1	29	6	40	5	Wiggins, Alan, S.D.#	.324	144	16	0	1	65	3	43	3
Hernandez, Keith, St. L.-N.Y.*	.433	150	2	3	2	88	14	72	7	Wilson, William, N.Y.#	.367	152	2	1	4	18	3	103	6
Herr, Thomas, St.L.#	.412	89	8	3	1	43	2	27	7	Wohlford, James, Mtl.	.355	83	2	2	0	5	0	14	4
Hodges, Ronald, N.Y.*	.308	110	2	2	2	49	6	42	8	Woods, Gary, Chi.	.353	93	1	1	0	15	2	27	7
Horner, J. Robert, Atl.	.528	104	0	2	1	50	2	63	14	Wynne, Marvell, Pitt.*	.355	103	7	1	3	38	0	52	3
Householder, Paul, Cin.#	.387	123	0	1	2	44	5	60	7	Yeager, Stephen, L.A.	.379	113	6	1	1	23	4	57	15
										Youngblood, Joel, S.F.	.499	124	2	2	5	33	4	59	11

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TOP 15 QUALIFIERS FOR ERA LEADERSHIP

PITCHER, TEAM	ERA	W	L	PCT	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	HR	BB	SO	PITCHER, TEAM	ERA	W	L	PCT	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	HR	BB	SO
Honeycutt, Rick, Tex.*	2.42	14	8	.636	25	25	5	174.2	168	59	9	37	56	Hickey, Kevin, Chgo.*	5.23	1	2	.333	23	0	0	20.2	23	14	5	11	8
Boddicker, Mike, Balt.	2.77	16	8	.667	27	26	10	179.0	141	65	13	52	120	Hood, Don, K.C.*	2.27	2	3	.400	27	0	0	47.2	48	20	5	14	17
Stieb, Dave, Tor	3.04	17	12	.586	36	36	14	278.0	223	105	21	93	187	Howell, Jay, N.Y.	5.38	1	5	.167	19	12	2	82.0	89	53	7	35	61
Hough, Charlie, Tex.	3.18	15	13	.536	34	33	11	252.0	219	96	22	95	152	Hoyt, La Marr, Chgo.	3.66	24	10	.706	36	36	11	260.2	236	115	27	31	148
McGregor, Scott, Balt.*	3.18	18	7	.720	36	36	12	260.0	271	101	24	45	86	Hurst, Bruce, Bos.*	4.09	12	12	.500	33	32	6	211.1	241	102	22	62	115
Dotson, Richard, Chgo.	3.23	22	7	.759	35	35	8	240.0	209	92	19	106	137	Jackson, Roy Lee, Tor	4.50	8	3	.727	49	0	0	92.0	92	48	6	41	48
Haas, Moose, Milw.	3.27	13	3	.813	25	25	7	179.0	170	66	12	42	75	John, Tommy, Calif.*	4.33	11	13	.458	34	34	9	234.2	287	126	20	49	65
Young, Matt, Sea.*	3.27	11	15	.423	33	32	5	203.2	178	86	17	79	130	Johnson, John Henry, Bos.*	3.71	3	2	.600	34	1	0	53.1	58	28	3	20	51
Zahn, Geoff, Calif.*	3.33	9	11	.450	29	28	11	203.0	212	90	22	51	81	Jones, Odell, Tex.	3.09	3	6	.333	42	0	0	67.0	56	28	4	22	50
Morris, Jack, Det.	3.34	20	13	.606	37	37	20	293.2	257	117	30	83	232	Keough, Matt, Oak-N.Y.	5.33	5	7	.417	26	16	0	99.2	109	71	19	51	54
Bannister, Floyd, Chgo.*	3.35	16	10	.615	34	34	5	217.1	191	88	19	71	193	Kison, Bruce, Calif.	4.05	11	5	.688	26	17	4	126.2	128	59	13	43	83
Guidry, Ron, N.Y.*	3.42	21	9	.700	31	31	21	250.1	232	99	26	60	156	Koosman, Jerry, Chgo.*	4.77	11	7	.611	37	24	2	169.2	176	96	19	53	90
Righetti, Dave, N.Y.*	3.44	14	8	.636	31	31	7	217.0	194	96	12	67	169	Krueger, Bill, Oak*	3.61	7	6	.538	17	16	2	109.2	104	54	7	53	58
Darwin, Danny, Tex.	3.49	8	13	.381	28	26	9	183.0	175	86	9	62	92	Ladd, Pete, Milw.	2.55	3	4	.429	44	0	0	49.1	30	17	3	16	41
Burns, Britt, Chgo.*	3.58	10	11	.476	29	26	8	173.2	165	79	14	55	115	Lamp, Dennis, Chgo.	3.71	7	7	.500	49	5	1	116.1	123	52	6	29	44

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Abbott, Glenn Sea.-Det	3.63	7	4	.636	21	21	3	129.0	146	58	14	22	49	Lysander, Rick, Minn	3.38	5	12	.294	61	4	1	125.0	132	63	8	43	58
Acker, Jim, Tor	4.33	5	1	.833	38	5	0	97.2	103	52	7	38	44	Martinez, Dennis, Balt	5.53	7	16	.304	32	25	4	153.0	209	108	21	45	71
Agosto, Juan, Chgo.*	4.10	2	2	.500	39	0	0	41.2	41	20	2	11	29	Martinez, Tippy, Balt.*	2.35	9	3	.750	65	0	0	103.1	76	30	10	37	81
Alexander, Doyle, N.Y.-Tor	4.41	7	8	.467	25	20	5	145.0	157	76	20	33	63	Mattlack, Jon, Tex.*	4.66	2	4	.333	25	9	2	73.1	90	43	7	27	38
Anderson, Bud, Clev	4.08	1	6	.143	39	1	0	68.1	64	34	8	32	32	McCarthy, Steve, Oak	3.99	6	9	.400	38	24	3	167.0	156	79	16	82	65
Aponte, Luis, Bos.	3.63	5	4	.556	34	0	0	62.0	74	28	7	23	32	McClure, Bob, Milw.*	4.50	9	9	.500	24	23	4	142.0	152	75	11	68	68
Armstrong, Mike, K.C.	3.86	10	7	.588	58	0	0	102.2	86	53	11	45	52	McLaughlin, Joey, Tor	4.45	7	4	.636	50	0	0	64.2	63	33	11	37	47
Atherton, Keith, Oak	2.77	2	5	.286	29	0	0	68.1	53	22	7	23	40	Moffitt, Randy, Tor	3.77	6	2	.750	45	0	0	57.1	52	27	5	24	38
Augustine, Jerry, Milw.*	5.74	3	3	.500	34	7	1	64.1	89	45	11	25	40	Moore, Mike, Sea.	4.71	6	8	.429	22	21	3	128.0	130	75	10	60	108
Bailey, Howard, Det.*	4.88	5	5	.500	33	3	0	72.0	69	45	11	25	21	Morogioello, Dan, Balt.*	2.39	0	1	.000	22	0	0	37.2	39	10	1	10	15
Bair, Doug, Det	3.88	7	3	.700	27	1	0	55.2	51	27	8	19	39	Murray, Dale, N.Y.	4.48	2	4	.333	40	0	0	94.1	113	56	5	22	45
Baker, Steve, Oak	4.33	3	3	.500	35	1	0	54.0	59	32	4	26	23	Norris, Mike, Oak.	3.76	4	5	.444	16	16	2	88.2	68	42	11	36	63
Barker, Len, Clev	5.11	8	13	.381	24	24	4	149.2	150	92	16	52	105	O'Connor, Jack, Minn.*	5.86	2	3	.400	27	8	0	83.0	107	59	13	36	56
Barojas, Salome, Chgo	2.47	3	3	.500	52	0	0	87.1	70	24	2	32	38	Ojeda, Bob, Bos.*	4.04	12	7	.632	29	28	5	173.2	173	85	15	73	94
Beard, Dave, Oak	5.61	5	5	.500	43	0	0	61.0	55	39	8	36	40	Perry, Gaylord, Sea-K.C.	4.64	7	14	.333	30	30	3	186.1	214	108	24	49	82
Beattie, Jim, Sea	3.84	10	15	.400	30	29	8	196.2	197	89	12	66	132	Petry, Dan, Del	3.92	19	11	.633	38	38	9	266.1	256	126	37	99	122
Berenguer, Juan, Det	3.14	9	5	.643	37	19	2	157.2	110	58	19	71	129	Porter, Chuck, Milw	4.50	7	9	.438	25	21	6	134.0	162	72	9	38	76
Bird, Doug, Bos	6.65	1	4	.200	22	6	0	67.2	91	52	14	16	33	Quisenberry, Dan, K.C.	1.94	5	3	.625	69	0	0	139.0	118	35	6	11	48
Black, Bud, K.C.*	3.79	10	7	.588	24	24	3	161.1	159	75	19	43	58	Rawley, Shane, N.Y.*	3.78	14	14	.500	34	33	13	238.1	246	111	19	79	124
Blue, Vida, K.C.*	6.01	0	5	.000	19	14	1	85.1	96	62	12	35	53	Renko, Steve, K.C.	4.30	6	11	.353	25	17	1	121.1	144	63	9	36	54
Blaylven, Bert, Clev	3.91	7	10	.412	24	24	5	156.1	160	74	8	44	123	Rozema, Dave, Det	3.43	8	3	.727	29	16	1	105.0	100	50	10	29	63
Brown, Mike, Bos	4.67	6	6	.500	19	18	3	104.0	110	62	12	43	35	Sanchez, Luis, Calif	3.66	10	8	.556	56	1	0	98.1	92	42	6	40	49
Burgmeier, Tom, Oak*	2.81	6	7	.462	49	0	0	96.0	89	33	2	32	39	Schmidt, Dave, Tex	3.88	3	3	.500	31	0	0	46.1	42	20	3	14	29
Butcher, John, Tex	3.51	6	6	.500	38	6	1	123.0	128	50	8	41	58	Schrom, Ken, Minn	3.71	15	8	.652	33	28	6	196.1	196	92	14	80	80
Caldwell, Mike, Milw.*	4.53	12	11	.522	32	32	10	228.1	269	125	35	51	58	Shirley, Bob, N.Y.*	5.08	5	8	.385	25	17	1	108.0	122	71	10	36	53
Castillo, Bobby, Minn	4.77	8	12	.400	27	25	3	158.1	170	91	17	65	90	Slaton, Jim, Milw	4.33	14	6	.700	46	0	0	112.1	112	57	12	56	38
Castro, Bill, K.C.	6.64	2	0	.000	18	0	0	40.2	51	34	4	12	17	Smithson, Mike, Tex	3.91	10	14	.417	33	33	10	223.1	233	102	14	71	135
Caudill, Bill, Sea	4.71	2	8	.200	63	0	0	72.2	70	39	10	38	73	Sorensen, Lary, Clev	4.24	12	11	.522	36	34	8	222.2	238	112	21	65	76
Clancy, Jim, Tor	3.91	15	11	.577	34	34	11	223.0	238	115	23	61	99	Spillner, Dan, Clev	5.07	2	9	.182	60	0	0	92.1	117	54	7	38	48
Clark, Bryan, Sea.*	3.94	7	10	.412	41	17	2	162.1	160	82	14	72	76	Splitter, Paul, K.C.*	3.63	13	8	.619	27	27	4	156.0	159	77	9	52	61
Clear, Mark, Bos	6.28	4	5	.444	48	0	0	96.0	101	71	10	68	81	Stanley, Bob, Bos	2.85	8	10	.444	64	0	0	145.1	145	56	7	38	65
Codiroli, Chris, Oak	4.46	12	12	.500	37	31	7	205.2	208	115	17	72	85	Stanton, Mike, Sea	3.32	2	3	.400	50	0	0	65.0	65	26	3	28	47
Conroy, Tim, Oak*	3.94	7	10	.412	39	18	3	162.1	141	89	17	98	112	Steirer, Rick, Calif	4.82	3	2	.600	19	5	0	61.2	77	40	3	18	25
Creel, Keith, K.C.	6.35	2	5	.286	25	10	1	89.1	116	66	17	35	31	Stewart, Sammy, Balt	3.62	9	4	.692	58	1	0	144.1	138	60	7	67	95
Cruz, Victor, Tex	1.44	1	3	.250	17	0	0	25.0	16	7	2	10	18	Stoddard, Bob, Sea	4.41	9	17	.346	35	23	2	175.2	182	95	29	58	87
Curtis, John, Calif.*	3.80	1	2	.333	37	3	0	90.0	89	44	5	40	36	Stoddard, Tim, Balt	6.09	4	3	.571	47	0	0	57.2	65	39	10	29	50
Davis, Ron, Minn	3.34	5	8	.385	66	0	0	89.0	89	34	6	33	84	Sutcliffe, Rick, Clev	4.29	17	11	.607	36	35	10	243.1	251	131	23	102	160
Davis, Storm, Balt	3.59	13	7	.650	34	29	6	200.1	180	90	14	64	125	Sutton, Don, Milw	4.08	8	13	.381	31	31	4	220.1	209	109	21	54	134
Easterly, Jamie, Milw.-Clev.*	3.67	4	3	.571	53	0	0	68.2	83	32	4	32	45	Tanana, Frank, Tex.*	3.16	7	9	.438	29	22	3	159.1	144	70	14	49	108
Eckersley, Dennis, Bos	5.61	9	13	.409	28	28	2	176.1	223	119	27	39	77	Tellmann, Tom, Milw	2.80	9	4	.692	44	0	0	99.2	95	34	7	35	48
Eichelberger, Juan, Clev	4.90	4	11	.267	28	15	2	134.0	132	80	10	59	56	Thomas, Roy, Sea	3.45	3	1	.750	43	0	0	88.2	95	44	3	32	71
Filson, Pete, Minn*	3.40	4	1	.800	26	8	0	90.0	87	34	9	29	49	Tidrow, Dick, Chgo	4.22	2	4	.333	50	1	0	91.2	86	50	13	34	66
Flanagan, Mike, Balt.*	3.30	12	4	.750	20	20	3	125.1	135	53	10	31	50	Tobik, Dave, Tex	3.68	2	1	.667	27	0	0	44.0	36	18	2	13	30
Forsch, Ken, Calif	4.06	11	12	.478	31	31	11	219.1	226	107	23	61	81	Tudor, John, Bos.*	4.09	13	12	.520	34	34	7	242.0	236	122	32	81	136
Frazier, George, N.Y.	3.43	4	4	.500	61	0	0	115.1	94	44	5	45	78	Underwood, Tom, Oak*	4.04	9	7	.563	51	15	0	144.2	156	69	13	50	62
Geisel, Dave, Tor.*	4.64	0	3	.000	47	0	0	52.1	47	28	4	31	50	Vande Berg, Ed, Sea*	3.36	2	4	.333	68	0	0	64.1	59	32	6	22	49
Gibson, Bob, Milw	3.90	3	4	.429	27	7	0	80.2	71	40	6	46	46	Viola, Frank, Minn.*	5.49	7	15	.318	35	34	4	210.0	242	141	34	92	121
Gossage, Rich, N.Y.	2.27	13	5	.722	57	0	0	87.1	82	27	5	25	90	Waits, Rick, Clev.-Milw*	4.89	0	3	.000	18	2	0	49.2	62	33	2	20	33
Gott, Jim, Tor	4.74	9	14	.391	34	30	6	176.2	195	103	15	68	121	Walters, Mike, Minn	4.12	1	1	.500	23	0	0	59.0	52	31	4	20	21
Gumpert, Dave, Det	2.64	0	2	.000	26	0	0	44.1	43	16	1	7	14	Whitehouse, Len, Minn.*	4.15	7	1	.875	60	0	0	73.2	70	34	6	44	44
Gura, Larry, K.C.*	4.90	11	18	.379	34	31	5	200.1	220	119	23	76	57	Wilcox, Milt, Det	3.97	11	10	.524	26	26	9	186.0	164	89	19	74	101
Hassler, Andy, Calif*	5.45	0	5	.000	42	0	0	36.1	42	22	2	17	20	Williams, Al, Minn	4.14	11	14	.440	36	29	4	193.1	196	105	21	68	68
Heaton, Neal, Clev*	4.16	11	7	.611	39	16	4	149.1	157	79	11	44	75	Witt, Mike, Calif	4.91	7	14	.333	43	19	2	154.0	173	90	14	75	101

NL OFFICIAL AVERAGES PITCHING

TOP 15 QUALIFIERS FOR ERA LEADERSHIP

PITCHER, TEAM	ERA	W	L	PCT	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	HR	BB	SO	PITCHER, TEAM	ERA	W	L	PCT	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	HR	BB	SO	
Hammaker, C. Atlee, S.F.*	2.25	10	9	.526	23	23	8	172.1	147	57	9	32	127	Kaat, James, St.L.*	3.89	0	0	---	24	0	0	34.2	48	19	5	10	19	
Denny, John, Phil.	2.37	19	6	.760	36	36	7	242.2	229	77	9	53	139	Krukow, Michael, S.F.	3.95	11	11	.500	31	31	2	184.1	189	95	17	76	136	
Welch, Robert, L.A.	2.65	15	12	.556	31	31	4	204.0	164	73	13	72	156	LaCorte, Frank, Hou.	5.06	4	4	.500	37	0	0	53.1	35	32	8	28	48	
Soto, Mario, Cin.	2.70	17	13	.567	34	34	18	273.2	207	96	28	95	242	LaCoss, Michael, Hou.	4.43	5	7	.417	38	17	2	138.0	142	81	10	56	53	
Pena, Alejandro, L.A.	2.75	12	9	.571	34	26	4	177.0	152	67	7	51	120	Lahli, Jeffrey, St.L.	3.16	3	3	.500	53	0	0	74.0	64	31	2	29	26	
Reuss, Jerry, L.A.*	2.94	12	11	.522	32	31	7	223.1	233	94	12	50	143	LaPoint, David, St.L.*	3.95	12	9	.571	37	29	1	191.1	191	92	12	84	113	
Ryan, L. Nolan, Hou.	2.98	14	9	.609	29	29	5	196.1	134	74	9	101	183	Laskey, William, S.F.	4.19	13	10	.565	25	25	1	148.1	151	75	18	45	81	
McMurtry, J. Craig, Atl.	3.08	15	9	.625	36	35	6	224.2	204	86	13	88	105	Lavelle, Gary, S.F.*	2.59	7	4	.636	56	0	0	87.0	73	33	4	19	68	
Rhoden, Richard, Pitt.	3.09	13	13	.500	36	35	7	244.1	256	95	13	68	153	Lefferts, Craig, Chi.	3.13	3	4	.429	56	5	0	89.0	80	35	13	29	60	
Carlton, Steven, Phil.*	3.11	15	16	.484	37	37	8	283.2	277	117	20	84	275	Lerch, Randy, Mtl.-S.F.*	6.02	2	3	.400	26	5	0	49.1	54	33	7	26	30	
Lea, Charles, Mtl.	3.12	16	11	.593	33	33	8	222.0	195	87	15	84	137	Lollar, W. Timothy, S.D.*	4.61	7	12	.368	30	30	1	175.2	170	98	22	85	135	
Knepper, Robert, Hou.*	3.19	6	13	.316	35	29	4	203.0	202	93	12	71	125	Lucas, Gary, S.D.*	2.87	5	8	.385	62	0	0	91.0	85	38	9	34	60	
Rogers, Stephen, Mtl.	3.23	17	12	.586	36	36	13	273.0	258	108	14	78	146	Lynch, Edward, N.Y.	4.28	10	10	.500	30	27	1	174.2	208	94	17	41	44	
Candelaria, John, Pitt.*	3.23	15	8	.652	35	35	2	197.2	191	73	15	45	157	Madden, Michael, Hou.*	3.14	9	5	.643	28	13	0	94.2	76	37	4	45	44	
McWilliams, Larry, Pitt.*	3.25	15	8	.652	35	35	8	238.0	205	99	19	87	199	Mahler, Richard, Atl.	5.02	0	0	---	10	0	0	14.1	16	8	0	9	7	
10 OR MORE GAMES															Martin, D. Renie, S.F.	4.20	2	4	.333	37	6	0	94.1	95	50	11	51	43
Allen, Neil, N.Y.-St. L.	3.94	12	13	.480	46	22	5	175.2	179	84	12	84	106	Martin, John, St. L.*	3.53	3	1	.750	26	5	0	66.1	60	31	6	26	29	
Altamirano, Porfirio, Phil.	3.70	2	3	.400	31	0	0	41.1	38	18	9	15	24	McGaffigan, Andrew, S.F.	4.29	3	9	.250	43	16	0	134.1	131	67	17	39	93	
Andersen, Larry, Phil.	2.39	1	0	1.000	17	0	0	26.1	19	7	0	9	14	McGraw, Frank, Phil.*	3.56	2	1	.667	34	1	0	55.2	58	24	4	19	30	
Andujar, Joaquin, St. L.	4.16	6	16	.273	39	34	5	225.0	215	112	23	75	125	Minton, Gregory, S.F.	3.54	7	11	.389	73	0	0	106.2	117	51	6	47	38	
Bair, C. Douglas, St. L.	3.03	1	1	.500	26	0	0	29.2	24	11	4	13	21	Monge, Isidro, Phil.-S.D.*	3.70	10	3	.769	61	0	0	80.1	85	34	8	37	39	
Barr, James, S.F.	3.98	5	3	.625	53	0	0	92.2	106	47	7	20	47	Montefusco, John, S.D.	3.30	9	4	.692	31	10	1	95.1	94	38	6	32	52	
Beckwith, T. Joseph, L.A.	3.55	3	4	.429	42	3	0	71.0	73	40	5	35	50	Moore, Donnie, Atl.	3.67	2	3	.400	43	0	0	68.2	72	30	6	10	41	
Bedrosian, Stephen, Atl.	3.60	9	10	.474	70	1	0	120.0	100	50	11	51	114	Niedenfuer, Thomas, L.A.	1.90	8	3	.727	66	0	0	94.2	55	22	6	29	66	
Behenna, Richard, Atl.	4.58	3	3	.500	14	6	0	37.1	37	20	7	12	17	Niekro, Joseph, Hou.	3.48	15	14	.517	38	38	9	263.2	238	115	15	101	152	
Berens, Bruce, Cin.	3.86	9	14	.391	32	31	4	186.1	173	92	9	102	151	Niekro, Philip, Atl.	3.97	11	10	.524	34	33	2	201.2	212	94	18	105	128	
Bibby, James, Pitt.	6.69	5	12	.294	29	12	0	78.0	92	60	10	51	44	Noles, Dickie, Chi.	4.72	5	10	.333	24	18	1	116.1	133	69	9	37	59	
Bord, Richard, Chi.	4.97	0	2	.000	11	1	0	25.1	34	15	2	12	20	Orosco, Jesse, N.Y.*	1.47	13	7	.650	62	0	0	110.0	76	27	3	38	84	
Breining, Fred, S.F.	3.82	11	12	.478	32	32	6	202.2	202	97	15	60	117	Owens, Richard, N.Y.	4.67	1	3	.250	10	4	0	34.2	31	19	4	21	19	
Brizzolara, Anthony, Atl.	3.54	1	0	1.000	14	0	0	20.1	22	8	2	6	17	Pastore, Frank, Cin.	4.88	9	12	.429	36	29	4	184.1	207	104	20	64	93	
Brusstar, Warren, Chi.	2.35	3	1	.750	59	0	0	80.1	67	21	1	37	46	Perez, Pascual, Atl.	3.43	15	8	.652	33	33	7	215.1	213	88	20	51	144	
Burris, B. Ray, Mtl.	3.68	4	7	.364	40	17	2	154.0	139	68	13	56	100	Price, Ted, Cin.	4.54	5	6	.455	49	6	1	111.0	120	62	10	49	57	
Bystrom, Martin, Phil.	4.60	6	9	.400	24	23	1	119.1	136	75	6	44	87	Price, Joseph, Cin.*	2.88	10	6	.625	21	21	5	144.0	118	46	12	46	83	
Calvert, Mark, S.F.	6.27	1	4	.200	18	4	0	37.1	46	33	2	34	14	Proly, Michael, Chi.	3.58	1	5	.167	60	0	0	83.0	79	35	5	38	31	
Camp, Rick, Atl.	3.79	10	9	.526	40	16	1	140.0	146	64	16	38	61	Puleo, Charles, Cin.	4.89	6	12	.333	27	24	0	143.2	145	86	18	91	71	
Campbell, William, Chi.	4.49	6	8	.429	82	0	0	122.1	128	65	4	49	97	Rainey, Charles, Chi.	4.48	14	13	.519	34	34	1	191.0	219	109	17	74	84	
Chiffer, Floyd, S.D.	3.18	0	2	.000	15	0	0	22.2	17	10	0	10	15	Reardon, Jeffrey, Mtl.	3.03	7	9	.438	66	0	0	92.0	87	34	7	44	78	
Cox, Danny, St. L.	3.25	3	6	.333	12	12	0	83.0	92	38	6	23	36	Reed, Ronald, Phil.	3.48	9	1	.900	61	0	0	95.2	89	42	5	34	73	
Davis, Mark, S.F.*	3.49	6	4	.600	20	20	2	111.0	93	51	14	50	83	Rucker, David, St.L.*	2.43	5	3	.625	34	0	0	37.0	36	14	1	18	22	
Dawley, William, Hou.	2.82	6	6	.500	48	0	0	79.2	51	26	9	22	60	Ruhle, Vernon, Hou.	3.69	8	5	.615	41	9	0	114.2	107	49	13	36	43	
Dayley, Kenneth, Atl.*	4.30	5	8	.385	24	16	0	104.2	100	59	12	39	70	Russell, Jeffrey, Cin.	3.03	4	5	.444	10	10	2	68.1	58	30	7	22	40	
DeLeon, Jose, Pitt.	2.83	7	3	.700	15	15	3	108.0	75	36	5	47	118	Ruthven, Richard, Phil.-Chi.	4.38	13	12	.520	32	32	5	183.0	202	101	22	38	99	
DeLeon, Luis, S.D.	2.68	6	6	.500	63	0	0	111.0	89	34	8	27	90	Sanderson, Scott, Mtl.	4.65	6	7	.462	18	16	0	81.1	98	50	12	20	55	
Diaz, Carlos, N.Y.*	2.05	3	1	.750	54	0	0	83.1	62	22	1	35	64	Sarmiento, Manuel, Pitt.	2.99	3	5	.375	52	0	0	84.1	74	35	8	36	49	
DiPino, Frank, Hou.*	2.65	3	4	.429	53	0	0	71.1	52	21	2	20	67	Schatzeder, Daniel, Mtl.*	3.21	5	2	.714	58	2	0	87.0	88	34	3	25	48	
Dravecky, David, S.D.*	3.58	14	10	.583	28	28	9	183.2	181	78	18	44	74	Scherer, William, Cin.*	2.74	2	3	.400	73	0	0	92.0	73	31	6	33	57	
Falcone, Peter, Atl.*	3.63	9	4	.692	33	15	2	106.2	102	47	14	60	59	Scott, Michael, Hou.	3.72	10	6	.625	24	24	2	145.0	143	67	8	46	73	
Farmer, Edward, Phil.	6.08	0	6	.000	12	3	0	26.2	35	22	2	20	16	Scurry, Rodney, Pitt.*	5.56	4	9	.308	61	0	0	68.0	63	45	6	53	67	
Forsch, Robert, St. L.	4.28	10	12	.455	34	30	6	187.0	190	104	23	54	56	Seaver, G. Thomas, N.Y.	3.55	9	14	.391	34	34	5	231.0	201	104	18	86	135	
Forster, Terry, Atl.*	2.16	3	2	.600	56	0	0	79.1	60	19	3	31	54	Show, Eric, S.D.	4.17	15	12	.556	35	33	4	200.2	201	97	25	74	120	
Gale, Richard, Cin.	5.82	4	6	.400	33	7	0	89.2	103	64	8	43	53	Sisk, Douglas, N.Y.	2.24	5	4	.556	67	0	0	104.1	88	38	1	59	33	
Garber, H. Eugene, Atl.	4.60	4	5	.444	43	0	0	60.2	72	37	8	23	45	Smith, Bryn, Mtl.	2.49	6	11	.353	49	12	5	155.1	142	51	13	43	101	
Gorman, Thomas, N.Y.*	4.93	1	4	.200	25	4	0	49.1	45	29	3	15	30	Smith, David, Hou.	3.10	3	1	.750	42	0	0	72.2	72	32	2	36	41	
Gross, Kevin, Phil.	3.56	4	6	.400	17	17	1	96.0	100	46	13	35	66	Smith, Lee, Chi.	1.65	4	10	.286	66	0	0	103.7	70	23	5	41	91	
Guante, Cecilio, Pitt.	3.32	2	6	.250	49	0	0	100.1	90	45	5	46	82	Sosa, Elias, S.D.	4.35	1	4	.200	41	1	0	72.1	72	41	7	30	45	
Gullickson, William, Mtl.	3.75	17	12	.586	34	34	10																					

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LEADER, TEAM	PCT	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	PB	LEADER, TEAM	PCT	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP
CATCHERS									FIRST BASEMEN							
Dempsey, Balt.....	.997	127	591	65	2	658	7	1	Squires, Chi.*.....	.996	124	515	40	2	557	55
80 OR MORE GAMES									75 OR MORE GAMES							
Allenson, Bos.....	.984	84	393	29	7	429	6	3	Aikens, K.C.....	.989	112	884	64	11	959	101
Boone, Cal.....	.980	142	606	83	14	703	12	5	Cabell, Det.....	.997	106	830	79	3	912	76
Fisk, Chi.....	.991	133	709	46	7	762	5	11	Carew, Cal.....	.994	89	890	42	6	938	94
Hassey, Clev.....	.995	113	514	43	3	560	4	5	Cooper, Milw.*.....	.993	158	1452	87	11	1550	144
Heath, Oak.....	.973	80	316	47	10	373	6	5	Griffey, N.Y.*.....	.992	101	830	57	7	894	82
Kearney, Oak.....	.982	101	437	41	9	487	5	8	Hargrove, Clev.*.....	.994	131	1098	115	7	1220	131
Martinez, Tor.....	.989	85	331	25	4	360	3	1	Hrbek, Minn.....	.990	137	1151	89	13	1253	125
Parrish, Det.....	.995	131	695	73	4	772	8	10	Murray, Balt.....	.993	153	1393	114	10	1517	136
Simmons, Milw.....	.975	86	395	41	11	447	4	2	O'Brien, Tex.*.....	.993	133	1144	120	9	1273	104
Sundberg, Tex.....	.993	131	618	56	5	679	2	10	Putnam, Sea.....	.994	125	1067	85	7	1159	105
Sweet, Sea.....	.987	85	413	34	6	453	6	4	Stapleton, Bos.....	.993	145	1242	95	9	1346	129
Wathan, K.C.....	.985	92	360	32	6	398	5	2	Upshaw, Tor*.....	.985	159	1294	117	21	1432	131
Whitt, Tor.....	.992	119	554	50	5	609	4	6	Triple Plays: Gross, Oak; Hrbek, Minn.							
Wynegar, N.Y.....	.985	93	480	29	8	517	4	5								
OUTFIELDERS									SECOND BASEMEN							
Law, R., Chi*.....	.994	132	302	5	2	309	2	2	White, K.C.....	.990	145	390	442	8	840	123
Lynn, Calif.*.....	.993	113	274	8	2	284	4	4	72 OR MORE GAMES							
Henderson, Oak*.....	.992	142	349	9	3	361	1	1	Bernazard, Chi.-Sea.....	.973	138	262	422	19	703	89
70 OR MORE GAMES									Castino, Minn.....	.990	132	301	406	7	714	94
Armas, Bos.....	.985	116	326	5	5	336	0	0	Cruz, J. Sea-Chi.....	.983	157	344	471	14	829	112
Baines, Chi*.....	.973	155	312	10	9	331	3	3	Dauer, Balt.....	.988	131	273	322	7	602	78
Bannister, Clev.....	.969	91	148	7	5	160	2	2	Gantner, Milw.....	.984	158	374	512	14	900	128
Barfield, Tor.....	.966	120	213	16	8	237	4	4	Garcia, Tor.....	.981	130	266	360	12	638	75
Beniquez, Cal.....	.968	84	174	8	6	188	1	1	Grich, Cal.....	.969	118	270	415	22	707	94
Bonnell, Tor.....	.986	117	212	7	3	222	0	0	Lopes, Oak.....	.983	123	254	278	9	541	81
Brown, Minn.....	.995	81	188	2	1	191	0	0	Randolph, N.Y.....	.979	104	265	298	12	575	77
Brunansky, Minn.....	.985	146	375	16	6	397	8	8	Remy, Bos.....	.990	144	295	376	7	678	104
Bumbry, Balt.....	.988	104	235	3	3	241	1	1	Tolleson, Tex.....	.972	112	246	315	16	577	69
Clark, Cal.....	1.000	72	122	0	0	122	0	0	Trillo, Clev.....	.989	88	172	269	5	446	58
Collins, Tor*.....	.989	112	251	8	3	262	1	1	Whitaker, Det.....	.983	160	299	447	13	759	92
Cowens, Sea.....	.985	70	124	7	2	133	1	1	Triple Plays: Castino, Minn; Phillips, Oak.							
Davis, Oak*.....	.974	121	278	16	8	302	4	4								
Downing, Cal.....	.994	84	160	9	1	170	0	0	THIRD BASEMEN							
Evans, Bos.....	.987	99	222	6	3	231	1	1	Harrah, Clev.....	.971	137	101	273	11	385	32
Ford, Balt.....	.987	103	218	2	3	223	0	0	79 OR MORE GAMES							
Henderson, D., Sea.....	.982	133	304	17	6	237	4	4	Allen, J. Sea.....	.959	82	55	155	9	219	16
Henderson, S., Sea.....	.970	112	182	15	6	203	2	2	Bell, Tex.....	.967	154	123	383	17	523	29
Herndon, Det.....	.951	133	283	6	15	304	1	1	Boggs, Bos.....	.947	153	118	368	27	513	40
Kemp, N.Y.*.....	.987	101	215	5	3	223	3	3	Brett, K.C.....	.919	102	85	188	24	297	25
Kittle, Chi.....	.964	139	234	7	9	250	0	0	Brookens, Det.....	.928	103	54	164	17	235	21
Lemon, Det.....	.988	145	406	6	5	417	3	3	Cruz, Balt.....	.942	79	49	162	13	224	19
Lowenstein, Balt.....	.982	107	155	8	3	166	1	1	De Cincos, Cal.....	.955	85	79	216	14	309	26
Manning, Milw-Clev.....	.990	158	471	2	5	478	0	0	Gaetti, Minn.....	.967	154	131	360	17	508	46
Moore, Milw.....	.978	150	301	9	7	317	1	1	Iorg, Tor.....	.976	85	36	127	4	167	9
Moseby, Tor.....	.983	147	399	10	7	416	1	1	Law, V., Chi.....	.966	139	91	309	14	414	28
Moses, Sea*.....	.979	71	87	8	2	97	1	1	Molitor, Milw.....	.966	148	105	343	16	464	37
Mumphrey, N.Y.....	.983	83	227	7	4	238	1	1	Mulliniks, Tor.....	.971	116	70	161	7	238	12
Murphy, Oak.....	.979	124	365	7	8	380	0	0	Nettles, N.Y.....	.956	126	78	273	16	367	18
Nelson, R., Sea.....	.971	91	122	10	4	136	1	1	Triple Play: Gaetti, Minn.							
Nichols, Bos.....	.994	72	168	4	1	173	1	1								
Oglivie, Milw*.....	.985	113	259	8	4	271	1	1	SHORTSTOPS							
Otis, K.C.....	.996	96	233	6	1	240	1	1	Dent, Tex.....	.979	129	150	369	11	530	71
Parrish, Tex.....	.962	132	215	11	9	235	1	1	79 OR MORE GAMES							
Rice, Bos.....	.984	151	339	21	6	366	5	5	Dybzinski, Chi.....	.966	118	140	252	14	406	47
Roberts, K.C.....	.979	76	139	3	3	145	0	0	Fletcher, Chi.....	.965	100	107	275	14	396	52
Roenicke, Balt.....	.982	100	159	7	3	169	0	0	Franco, Clev.....	.961	149	247	438	28	713	92
Sample, Tex.....	.988	146	329	8	4	341	0	0	Griffin, Tor.....	.965	157	280	413	25	718	84
Shelby, Balt.....	.981	115	200	9	4	213	3	3	Hoffman, Bos.....	.962	143	240	417	26	683	82
Sheridan, K.C.....	.988	100	237	6	3	246	2	2	Owen, Sea.....	.970	80	122	233	11	366	45
Tabler, Clev.....	.948	88	180	4	10	194	0	0	Phillips, Oak.....	.941	101	112	257	23	392	59
Thomas, Milw-Clev.....	.985	152	439	7	7	453	2	2	Ripken, Balt.....	.970	162	272	534	25	831	113
Valentine, Cal.....	.963	85	152	5	6	163	1	1	Smalley, N.Y.....	.959	91	125	230	15	370	40
Vukovich, Clev.....	.986	122	203	3	3	209	0	0	Trammell, Det.....	.979	140	236	367	13	616	71
Ward, Minn.....	.978	152	374	24	9	407	6	6	Washington, Minn.....	.962	81	121	204	13	338	49
Wilson, Det.....	.988	143	225	12	3	240	2	2	Washington, K.C.....	.947	140	201	448	36	685	91
Wilson, K.C.....	.975	136	354	3	9	366	0	0	Yount, Milw.....	.973	139	256	420	19	695	86
Winfield, N.Y.....	.978	151	313	5	7	325	2	2	Triple Play: Almon, Oak.							
Triple Play: Peters, Oak.																

NL OFFICIAL AVERAGES FIELDING

LEADER, TEAM	PCT	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	PB	LEADER, TEAM	PCT	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP
CATCHERS									FIRST BASEMEN							
Carter, Mtl.	.995	144	847	107	5	959	14	6	Driessen, Cin.	.996	112	917	71	4	992	73
60 OR MORE GAMES									51 OR MORE GAMES							
Ashby, Hou.	.974	85	435	56	13	504	2	9	Brock, L.A.	.991	140	1162	106	12	1280	94
Benedict, Atl.	.992	134	738	91	7	836	12	4	Buckner, Chi.*	.992	144	1366	161	13	1540	132
Bilardello, Cin.	.991	105	494	72	5	571	4	8	Chambliss, Atl.	.996	126	1092	89	5	1186	117
Brenly, S.F.	.983	90	403	70	8	481	9	9	Evans, S.F.	.993	113	979	88	7	1074	60
Davis, Chi.	.984	150	730	75	13	818	7	21	Garvey, S.D.	.994	100	888	49	6	943	69
Diaz, Phil.	.986	134	903	97	14	1014	7	10	Hendrick, St.L.	.992	92	819	77	7	903	72
Hodges, N.Y.	.971	96	360	45	12	417	4	5	Hernandez, St.L.-N.Y.*	.992	144	1418	147	13	1578	147
Kennedy, S.D.	.986	143	782	79	12	873	8	7	Knight, Hou.	.993	143	1285	73	9	1367	131
May, S.F.-Pitt.	.983	60	308	35	6	349	5	1	Oliver, Mtl.*	.990	153	1207	118	13	1338	93
Ortiz, Pitt.-N.Y.	.967	71	293	31	11	335	2	6	Perez, Phil.	.998	69	514	40	1	555	36
Pena, Pitt.	.992	149	976	90	9	1075	9	7	Rose, Phil.	.990	112	786	74	9	869	57
Porter, St.L.	.989	133	578	70	7	655	8	14	Thompson, Pitt.	.993	151	1266	89	9	1364	131
Trevino, Cin.	.987	63	359	28	5	392	2	4	Triple Play: Adduci, St.L.; Bevacqua, S.D.; Buckner, Chi.							
Yeager, L.A.	.985	112	579	63	10	652	10	6								
OUTFIELDERS									SECOND BASEMEN							
Householder, Cin.	.991	112	221	5	2	228	0		Sandberg, Chi.	.986	157	330	571	13	924	126
60 OR MORE GAMES									64 OR MORE GAMES							
Baker, L.A.	.981	143	249	4	5	258	2		Bonilla, S.D.	.986	149	335	414	11	760	95
Butler, Atl.*	.987	143	284	13	4	301	4		Doran, Hou.	.979	153	347	461	17	825	109
Cedeno, Cin.	.993	73	138	5	1	144	1		Flynn, Mtl.	.986	107	205	290	7	502	57
Clark, S.F.	.967	133	249	17	9	275	3		Giles, N.Y.	.980	140	299	380	14	693	87
Cromartie, Mtl.*	.973	101	208	12	6	226	2		Herr, St.L.	.986	86	178	245	6	429	60
Cruz, Hou.*	.979	160	322	9	7	338	1		Hubbard, Atl.	.985	148	313	484	12	809	103
C. Davis, S.F.	.976	133	357	7	9	373	1		Morgan, Phil.	.971	117	231	331	17	579	63
Dawson, Mtl.	.980	157	435	6	9	450	2		Oester, Cin.	.977	154	315	413	17	745	80
Demier, Phil.	.988	107	164	3	2	169	1		Ramsey, St.L.	.968	66	76	106	6	188	29
Durham, Chi.*	.966	95	168	2	6	176	0		Ray, Pitt.	.983	151	319	452	13	784	102
Easler, Pitt.	.965	105	158	6	6	170	1		S. Sax, L.A.	.961	152	331	399	30	760	74
Foster, N.Y.	.988	153	314	12	4	330	3		Wellman, S.F.	.965	74	91	160	9	260	26
Green, St.L.	.970	136	214	10	7	231	2		Youngblood, S.F.	.948	64	97	142	13	252	26
G. Gross, Phil.*	.991	110	104	1	1	106	0		Triple Play: Doyle, St.L.; Flannery, S.D.; Sandberg, Chi.							
Gwynn, S.D.*	.994	81	163	9	1	173	1									
Hall, Chi.*	.988	112	239	8	3	250	2									
Harper, Atl.	.952	60	95	5	5	105	0									
Hayes, Phil.	.972	103	165	7	5	177	0									
Heep, N.Y.*	1.000	61	90	4	0	94	1									
Jones, S.D.*	.981	111	249	3	5	257	2									
Lacy, Pitt.	1.000	98	167	2	0	169	0									
Landreau, L.A.	.990	137	299	4	3	306	1									
Lefebvre, S.D.-Phil.	.990	80	93	5	1	99	0									
Leonard, S.F.	.975	136	253	17	7	277	2									
Lezcano, S.D.-Phil.	.971	106	189	10	6	205	1									
Maddox, Phil.	.977	95	216	1	5	222	0									
Marshall, L.A.	.976	109	160	3	4	167	1									
Matthews, Phil.	.974	122	174	11	5	190	2									
McGee, St.L.	.987	145	385	7	5	397	1									
Milner, Cin.*	.990	139	392	9	4	405	0									
Moreland, Chi.	.976	151	236	7	6	249	1									
Moreno, Hou.*	.977	97	251	8	6	265	3									
Murphy, Atl.	.985	160	373	10	6	389	0									
Parker, Pitt.	.973	142	282	3	8	293	2									
Puhl, Hou.	.991	124	220	4	2	226	1									
Raines, Mtl.	.988	154	307	21	4	332	3									
Redus, Cin.	.972	120	235	11	7	253	0									
Roenicke, L.A.	.987	62	75	1	1	77	0									
T. Scott, Hou.	1.000	61	89	2	0	91	1									
L. Smith, St.L.	.941	126	225	14	15	254	4									
Strawberry, N.Y.*	.984	117	232	8	4	244	0									
Thomas, L.A.	.990	82	97	3	1	101	0									
Van Slyke, St.L.	.974	69	108	4	3	115	1									
Venable, S.F.	.993	66	141	5	1	147	0									
Walker, Cin.*	.956	60	104	4	5	113	0									
Washington, Atl.*	.974	128	218	8	6	232	3									
Wiggins, S.D.	.992	105	242	6	2	250	1									
Willson, N.Y.	.984	148	422	5	7	434	1									
Wohlford, Mtl.	.988	61	80	2	1	83	0									
Woods, Chi.	.971	73	97	4	3	104	2									
Wynne, Pitt.*	.983	102	223	3	4	230	2									
THIRD BASEMEN									SHORTSTOPS							
Oberkell, St.L.	.960	127	79	231	13	323	27		Bowa, Chi.	.984	145	230	464	11	705	102
52 OR MORE GAMES									75 OR MORE GAMES							
Brooks, N.Y.	.950	145	107	289	21	417	25		Bailor, N.Y.	.969	75	84	162	8	254	35
Cey, Chi.	.955	157	90	270	17	377	12		Berra, Pitt.	.963	161	286	505	30	821	103
Esasky, Cin.	.935	84	53	133	13	199	11		Concepcion, Cin.	.979	139	225	376	13	614	67
Flannery, S.D.	.969	52	27	99	4	130	13		DeJesus, Phil.	.966	158	214	438	23	675	64
Garner, Hou.	.945	154	100	311	24	435	22		LeMaster, S.F.	.964	139	215	402	23	640	58
Guerrero, L.A.	.934	157	123	305	30	458	22		Little, Mtl.	.968	66	104	137	8	249	27
Horner, Atl.	.958	104	76	153	10	239	18		Oquendo, N.Y.	.960	116	182	326	21	529	65
Johnson, Atl.	.991	53	39	69	1	109	11		Ramirez, Atl.	.949	152	232	490	39	761	116
Madlock, Pitt.	.958	126	59	193	11	263	20		Russell, L.A.	.964	127	192	392	22	606	61
O'Malley, S.F.	.940	117	70	213	18	301	12		O. Smith, St.L.	.975	158	304	519	21	844	100
Salazar, S.D.	.949	118	102	250	19	371	17		Speier, Mtl.	.962	74	107	196	12	315	31
Schmidt, Phil.	.959	153	107	332	19	458	29		Templeton, S.D.	.960	123	219	355	24	598	66
Wallach, Mtl.	.956	156	151	265	19	435	25		Thon, Hou.	.966	154	258	533	28	819	114
Triple Play: Cey, Chi.; Oberkell, St.L.									Triple Play: O. Smith, St.L.; Templeton, S.D.							

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Grade A Pitcher (2)(Y)(Z)

Bats: Right Throws: Right
Height: 6-5 Weight: 215
Born: 3-12-56 Portland, Oregon
Dale Bryan
"Murph"

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(F) Outfielder (3)

11- 5	31- 9	51- 8
12-25	32-26	52-27
13-14	33- 5	53-16
14-30	34-31	54-32
15-11	35- 9	55- 8
16-28	36-14	56-34
21-13	41-24	61-40
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AMERICAN LEAGUE ROSTERS

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
52	Boddicker, Mike	R	R	5-11	172	8/23/57 Cedar Rapids, IA	Norway, IA	Rochester	3-1	1.90	4	4	1	0	23.2	17	13	18
59	Brown, Mark	S	R	6-2	190	7/13/59 Bellows Falls, VT	North Walpole, NH	Baltimore	16-8	2.77	27	26	10	0	179.0	141	52	120
34	Davis, Storm	R	R	6-4	207	12/26/61 Dallas, TX	Cockeysville, MD	Rochester	6-1	3.54	19	4	1	5	53.1	41	20	44
41	Dixon, Ken	S	R	5-11	166	10/17/60 Monroe, VA	Monroe, VA	Baltimore	13-7	3.59	34	29	6	0	200.1	180	64	125
46	Flanagan, Mike	L	L	6-0	195	12/16/51 Manchester, NH	Amherst, NH	Charlotte	8-7	3.95	20	20	6	0	130.0	123	70	73
	Gonzalez, Julian	L	L	5-11	205	5/13/60 Tampa, FL	Tampa, FL	Rochester	3-6	4.48	11	11	1	0	64.1	65	26	34
30	Martinez, Dennis	R	R	6-1	185	5/14/55 Granada, Nicaragua	Randallstown, MD	Baltimore	12-4	3.30	20	20	3	0	125.1	135	31	50
23	Martinez, Tippy	L	L	5-10	175	5/31/50 Ladonia, CO	Englewood, CO	Charlotte	10-6	3.32	17	17	3	0	105.2	88	71	105
21	McGregor, Scott	S	L	6-1	190	1/18/54 Inglewood, CA	Phoenix, MD	Rochester	5-3	4.43	12	12	1	0	67.0	55	42	61
16	Morgiello, Dan	L	L	6-1	200	3/26/55 Brooklyn, NY	Timonium, MD	Baltimore	7-16	5.53	32	25	4	0	153.0	209	45	71
22	Palmer, Jim	R	R	6-3	194	10/15/45 New York, NY	Brooklandville, MD	Baltimore	9-3	2.35	65	0	0	21	103.1	76	37	81
36	Ramirez, Allan	R	R	5-10	190	5/1/57 Victoria, TX	Victoria, TX	Baltimore	18-7	3.18	36	36	12	0	260.0	271	45	86
53	Stewart, Sammy	R	R	6-3	208	10/28/54 Asheville, NC	Swannonoa, NC	Rochester	1-1	5.73	17	1	0	2	33.0	41	12	16
32	Swaggerty, Bill	R	R	6-2	186	12/5/56 Sanford, FL	East Palatka, FL	Baltimore	0-1	2.39	22	0	0	0	37.2	39	10	15
51	Welchel, Don	R	R	6-4	205	2/3/57 Atlanta, TX	Dallas, TX	Baltimore	5-4	4.23	14	11	0	0	76.2	86	19	34
								Hagerstown	2-0	3.46	2	2	0	0	13.0	13	2	11
								Rochester	4-5	3.80	15	15	4	0	90.0	76	55	78
								Baltimore	4-4	3.47	11	10	1	0	57.0	46	30	20
								Baltimore	9-4	3.62	58	1	0	7	144.1	138	67	95
								Rochester	9-6	4.64	25	17	3	0	118.1	136	37	25
								Baltimore	1-1	2.91	7	2	0	0	21.2	23	6	7
								Baltimore	0-2	5.40	11	0	0	0	26.2	33	10	16
								Rochester	4-12	4.64	18	18	3	0	110.2	128	46	61
									AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
24	Dempsey, Rick	R	R	6-0	184	9/13/49 Fayetteville, TN	Agoura, CA	Baltimore	.231	128	347	33	80	16	2	4	32	1
17	Nolan, Joe	L	R	6-0	190	5/21/51 St. Louis, MO	St. Louis, MO	Baltimore	.277	73	184	25	51	11	1	5	24	0
56	Pardo, Al	S	R	6-2	187	9/8/62 Oviedo, Spain	Tampa, FL	Rochester	.255	69	220	25	56	11	2	1	31	2
64	Stefero, John	L	R	5-8	185	9/22/59 Sumter, SC	Odenton, MD	Charlotte	.312	37	141	20	44	11	3	4	19	1
								Charlotte	.307	61	205	33	63	9	0	16	34	0
								Baltimore	.455	9	11	2	5	1	0	0	4	0
								Rochester	.196	35	97	13	19	5	0	2	5	0
									AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
10	Cruz, Todd	R	R	6-0	175	11/23/55 Highland Park, MI	Detroit, MI	Seattle	.190	65	216	21	41	4	2	7	21	1
25	Dauer, Rich	R	R	6-0	180	7/27/52 San Bernardino, CA	Phoenix, MD	Baltimore	.208	81	221	16	46	9	0	3	27	3
6	Gross, Wayne	L	R	6-2	205	1/14/52 Riverside, CA	Danville, CA	Baltimore	.235	140	459	49	108	19	0	5	41	1
11	Gulliver, Glenn	L	R	5-11	175	10/15/54 Detroit, MI	Allen Park, MI	Oakland	.233	137	339	34	79	18	0	12	44	5
3	Hernandez, Leo	R	R	5-11	170	11/6/59 Edo, Miranda, Ven.	Edo, Miranda, Ven.	Rochester	.309	123	411	86	127	28	3	11	63	7
65	Jones, Ricky	R	R	6-3	186	6/4/59 Tupelo, MS	Athens, GA	Baltimore	.213	47	203	21	50	6	1	6	26	1
33	Murray, Eddie	S	R	6-2	200	2/24/56 Los Angeles, CA	Phoenix, MD	Rochester	.246	64	203	21	50	6	1	6	26	1
8	Ripken, Cal Jr.	R	R	6-4	200	8/24/60 Havre de Grace, MD	Cockeysville, MD	Rochester	.343	57	201	24	69	13	2	8	25	0
	Rodriguez, Victor	R	R	5-11	173	7/14/61 New York, NY	Naguabo, PR	Baltimore	.230	95	339	28	78	16	1	7	38	4
12	Sakata, Lenn	R	R	5-9	160	6/8/53 Honolulu, HI	Merced, CA	Baltimore	.306	156	582	115	178	30	3	33	111	5
								Baltimore	.318	162	663	121	211	47	2	27	102	0
								Charlotte	.298	140	571	80	170	26	1	14	77	2
								Baltimore	.254	66	134	23	34	7	0	3	12	8
									AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
27	Avila, Benny	R	R	6-1	195	2/7/51 Yauco, PR	Toa Baja, PR	Baltimore	.221	47	104	12	23	7	0	4	13	0
1	Bumbry, Al	L	R	5-8	175	4/21/47 Fredericksburg, VA	Lutherville, MD	Baltimore	.275	124	378	63	104	14	4	3	31	12
28	Dwyer, Jim	L	L	5-10	175	1/3/50 Tinley Park, IL	Lutherville, MD	Baltimore	.286	100	196	37	56	17	1	8	38	1
15	Ford, Dan	R	R	6-1	185	5/19/52 Los Angeles, CA	Anaheim, CA	Baltimore	.280	103	407	63	114	30	4	9	55	9
39	Landrum, Tito	R	R	5-11	175	10/25/54 Joplin, MO	Clearwater, FL	St. Louis	.200	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
								Louisville	.292	111	431	79	126	23	12	18	77	15
38	Lowenstein, John	L	R	6-1	180	1/27/47 Wolf Point, MT	Las Vegas, NV	Baltimore	.310	26	42	8	13	2	0	1	4	0
35	Roenicke, Gary	R	R	6-3	200	12/5/54 Covina, CA	Diamond Bar, CA	Baltimore	.281	122	310	52	87	13	2	15	60	2
	Sheels, Larry	L	R	6-3	217	12/6/59 Staunton, VA	Harrisonburg, VA	Baltimore	.260	115	323	45	84	13	0	19	64	2
37	Shelby, John	S	R	6-1	175	2/23/58 Lexington, KY	Lexington, KY	Charlotte	.288	138	503	72	145	37	3	25	87	1
29	Singleton, Ken	S	R	6-4	212	6/10/47 New York, NY	Lutherville, MD	Rochester	.154	3	13	1	2	1	0	0	2	0
43	Young, Mike	S	R	6-2	194	3/20/60 Oakland, CA	Hayward, CA	Baltimore	.276	151	507	52	140	21	3	18	84	0
								Rochester	.284	102	373	62	106	14	8	14	66	18
								Baltimore	.167	25	36	5	6	2	1	0	2	1

DETROIT TIGERS TIGER STADIUM

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TRAINERS: Bill Behm, Pio DiSalvo

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
24	Abbott, Glenn	R	R	6-6	210	2/16/51 Little Rock, AR	Redmond, WA	Seattle	5-3	4.59	14	14	2	0	82.1	103	15	39
60	Bailey, Howard	R	L	6-3	195	7/31/58 Grand Haven, MI	Grand Haven, MI	Detroit	2-1	1.93	7	7	1	0	46.2	43	7	11
40	Bair, Doug	R	R	6-0	180	8/22/49 Defiance, OH	Loveland, OH	ST. Louis	5-5	4.88	33	3	0	0	72.0	69	25	21
44	Berenguer, Juan	R	R	5-11	215	11/30/54 Aguadulce, Pan.	Lathrup Village, MI	Detroit	1-1	3.03	26	0	0	0	29.2	24	13	21
36	Dacko, Mark	L	R	6-4	195	8/26/58 Monessen, PA	Trumbull, CT	Detroit	7-3	3.88	27	1	0	4	55.2	51	19	39
43	Gumpert, Dave	R	R	6-1	190	5/5/58 South Haven, MI	South Haven, MI	Evansville	9-5	3.14	37	19	2	1	157.2	110	71	129
45	Kelly, Bryan	R	R	6-2	195	2/24/59 Silver Springs, MD	Orlando, FL	Detroit	6-12	5.29	24	22	9	0	143.0	167	50	74
29	Lopez, Aurelio	R	R	6-0	225	10/5/48 Pueblo, Mex.	Tecamachalco, Mex.	Birmingham	5-1	2.28	14	0	0	2	27.2	23	9	17
33	Martin, John	S	L	6-0	190	4/11/56 Wyandotte, MI	Ann Arbor, MI	Evansville	0-2	2.64	26	0	0	2	44.1	43	7	14
48	Mason, Roger	R	R	6-6	215	9/18/58 Bellaire, MI	Bellaire, MI	Birmingham	1-2	4.68	4	4	0	0	25.0	23	22	20
47	Morris, Jack	R	R	6-3	200	5/16/55 St. Paul, MN	Birmingham, MI	Evansville	2-4	6.61	14	11	0	0	57.0	64	60	41
42	Nail, Charlie	R	R	6-4	210	11/22/61 Jackson, MS	Jackson, MS	Detroit	9-8	2.81	57	0	0	18	115.1	87	49	90
49	O'Neal, Randy	R	R	6-2	195	8/30/60 Ashland, KY	West Palm Beach, FL	ST. Louis	3-1	3.53	26	5	0	0	66.1	60	26	29
46	Petry, Dan	R	R	6-4	200	11/13/58 Palo Alto, CA	Anaheim Hills, CA	Detroit	0-0	7.43	15	0	0	1	13.1	15	4	11
19	Rozema, Dave	R	R	6-4	200	8/5/56 Grand Rapids, MI	Grosse Pte. Park, MI	Birmingham	7-4	2.06	17	17	4	1	126.2	116	43	83
28	Ujdur, Jerry	R	R	6-1	205	3/5/57 Duluth, MN	Duluth, MN	Evansville	5-5	4.23	11	11	2	0	78.2	84	21	43
39	Wilcox, Milt	R	R	6-2	215	4/20/50 Honolulu, HI	W. Bloomfield, MI	Detroit	20-13	3.34	37	37	20	0	293.2	257	83	232
8	Castillo, Marty	R	R	6-1	205	1/16/57 Long Beach, CA	Anaheim, CA	Evansville	8-10	4.90	25	23	3	0	145.0	167	54	79
25	Lowry, Dwight	L	R	6-3	210	10/23/57 Robeson County, NC	Pembroke, NC	Birmingham	8-10	4.23	23	23	3	0	140.1	159	45	70
18	Melvin, Bob	R	R	6-4	205	10/28/61 Palo Alto, CA	Menlo Park, CA	Birmingham	19-11	3.92	38	38	9	0	266.1	256	99	122
13	Parrish, Lance	R	R	6-3	220	6/15/56 Clairton, PA	Yorba Linda, CA	Evansville	8-3	3.43	29	16	1	2	105.0	100	29	63
14	Wockenfuss, John	R	R	6-0	190	2/27/49 Welch, WV	Landenberg, PA	Detroit	0-4	7.15	11	6	0	0	34.0	41	20	13
16	Brookers, Tom	R	R	5-10	170	8/10/53 Chambersburg, PA	Fayetteville, PA	Detroit	3-7	6.24	18	18	3	0	106.2	122	59	48
59	Chavez, Pedro	R	R	5-11	160	2/23/62 Los Teques, Ven.	Los Teques, Ven.	Detroit	11-10	3.97	26	26	9	0	186.0	164	74	101
17	Earl, Scotty	R	R	5-11	165	9/18/60 Seymour, IN	North Vernon, IN	Birmingham	214	138	332	50	71	13	3	6	32	10
41	Evans, Darrell	L	R	6-2	205	5/26/47 Pasadena, CA	Pleasanton, CA	Birmingham	224	20	49	7	11	1	0	0	3	1
27	Garbey, Barbaro	R	R	5-10	170	12/4/56 Santiago, Cuba	Miami, FL	Birmingham	277	107	401	56	111	12	3	6	42	23
20	Johnson, Howard	S	R	6-0	175	11/29/60 Clearwater, FL	Clearwater, FL	Birmingham	261	144	529	96	138	22	10	10	60	36
4	Laga, Mike	L	L	6-2	210	6/14/60 Ridgewood, NJ	Ramsey, NJ	Birmingham	277	142	523	94	145	29	3	30	82	6
7	Leach, Rick	L	L	6-0	190	5/4/57 Ann Arbor, MI	Farmington Hills, MI	Birmingham	321	101	377	60	121	6	14	59	7	7
32	Smith, Jimmy	R	R	6-3	185	9/8/54 Santa Monica, CA	Yorba Linda, CA	Birmingham	212	27	66	11	14	0	0	3	5	0
3	Trammell, Alan	R	R	6-0	175	2/21/58 Garden Grove, CA	San Diego, CA	Birmingham	231	105	355	46	82	24	1	16	58	2
1	Whitaker, Lou	L	R	5-11	160	5/12/57 New York, NY	Bloomfield Hills, MI	Birmingham	190	12	21	2	4	0	0	0	2	0
23	Gibson, Kirk	L	L	6-3	215	5/28/57 Pontiac, MI	Grosse Pte. Park, MI	Detroit	248	99	242	22	60	17	0	3	26	2
30	Grubb, John	L	R	6-3	180	8/4/48 Richmond, VA	Richmond, VA	Detroit	292	94	319	55	93	17	4	7	45	0
31	Hendon, Larry	R	R	6-3	200	11/3/53 Sunflower, MS	Hillsborough, CA	Detroit	319	142	505	83	161	31	2	14	66	30
34	Lemon, Chet	R	R	6-0	190	2/12/55 Jackson, MS	Bloomfield Hills, MI	Detroit	320	161	643	94	206	40	6	12	72	17
37	Simmons, Nelson	S	R	6-1	195	6/27/63 Washington, D.C.	San Diego, CA	Birmingham	272	118	404	57	110	17	1	11	64	2
12	Wilson, Glenn	R	R	6-1	185	12/22/58 Baytown, TX	Conroe, TX	Detroit	268	144	503	55	135	25	6	11	65	1

NEW YORK YANKEES

YANKEE STADIUM

MANAGER: Yogi Berra (8)

COACHES: Sammy Ellis (41), Jeff Torborg (11), Lee Walls (53), Roy White (6), Gene Michael (40)

TRAINERS: Gene Monaghan, Mark Letendre

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
36	Armstrong, Mike	R	R	6-3	206	3/7/54 Glen Cove, NY	Andes, NY	Kansas City	10-7	3.86	58	0	0	3	102.2	86	45	52
42	Christiansen, Clay	R	R	6-5	205	6/28/58 Wichita, KS	Columbus, KS	Columbus	8-9	5.44	32	19	1	0	160.1	196	81	92
47	Fontenot, Ray	L	L	6-0	175	8/8/57 Lake Charles, LA	Lake Charles, LA	Yankees	3-2	2.83	26	0	0	8	35.0	25	17	36
49	Guldray, Ron	L	L	5-11	162	8/28/50 Lafayette, LA	Lafayette, LA	Yankees	8-2	3.33	15	15	3	0	97.1	101	25	27
50	Howell, Jay	R	R	6-3	205	11/26/55 Miami, FL	Boulder, CO	Yankees	21-9	3.42	31	31	21	0	250.1	232	60	156
34	Keough, Matt	R	R	6-3	185	7/3/55 Pomona, CA	Danville, CA	Oakland	2-3	5.52	14	4	0	0	44.0	89	35	61
45	May, Rudy	L	L	6-2	205	7/16/44 Coffeyville, KA	Thousand Oaks, CA	Yankees	3-4	5.17	12	12	0	0	55.2	59	31	28
24	Montefusco, John	R	R	6-1	192	5/25/50 Kearnsburg, NJ	Half Moon Bay, CA	Yankees	1-5	6.87	15	0	0	0	18.1	22	12	16
48	Murray, Dale	R	R	6-4	205	2/2/50 Cuero, TX	Yorktown, TX	Yankees	9-4	3.30	31	10	1	4	95.1	94	32	52
35	Niekro, Phil	R	R	6-2	194	4/1/39 Blaine, OH	Liburn, GA	Yankees	5-0	3.32	6	6	0	0	38.0	39	10	15
26	Rawley, Shane	L	L	6-0	180	7/27/55 Racine, WI	Sarasota, FL	Yankees	2-4	4.48	40	0	0	1	94.1	113	22	45
19	Righetti, Dave	L	L	6-3	198	11/28/58 San Jose, CA	San Jose, CA	Yankees	11-10	3.97	34	33	2	0	201.2	212	105	128
38	Rijo, Jose	R	R	6-1	160	5/13/65 San Cristobal, DR	San Cristobal, DR	Yankees	14-14	3.78	34	33	13	1	238.1	246	79	124
29	Shirley, Bob	R	L	5-11	185	6/25/54 Cushing, OK	Tulsa, OK	Yankees	14-8	3.44	31	31	7	0	217.0	194	67	169
10	Cerone, Rick	R	R	5-11	185	5/19/54 Newark, NJ	Cliffside, NJ	Yankees	3-2	2.68	5	5	3	0	40.1	31	21	32
58	Espino, Juan	R	R	6-1	190	3/16/56 Bonao, DR	Bonao, DR	Yankees	5-8	5.08	25	17	1	0	108.0	122	36	53
27	Wynegar, Butch	S	R	6-0	194	3/14/56 York, PA	Longwood, FL	Yankees	.296	.94	301	40	89	18	2	6	42	1
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NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
3	Foil, Tim	R	R	6-0	175	12/8/50 Culver City, CA	Ormond Beach, FL	California	.252	.88	330	29	83	10	0	2	29	5
33	Griffey, Ken	L	L	6-0	200	4/10/50 Donora, PA	Westchester, OH	Yankees	.306	1.18	458	60	140	21	3	11	46	5
11	Harrah, Toby	R	R	6-0	190	10/26/48 Sissonville, WV	Fl. Worth, TX	Cleveland	.266	1.38	526	81	140	23	1	9	53	16
56	Hudler, Rex	R	R	6-1	180	9/2/60 Tempe, AZ	Fresno, CA	Fl. Lauderdale	.270	.91	345	55	93	15	2	2	50	30
20	Meacham, Bobby	S	R	6-1	175	8/25/60 Los Angeles, CA	Westminster, CA	Columbus	.305	.40	118	17	36	5	0	1	11	1
39	Milbourne, Larry	S	R	6-0	165	2/14/51 Port Norris, NJ	Kirkland, WA	Yankees	.235	.22	51	5	12	2	0	0	4	8
9	Nettel, Graig	L	R	6-0	185	8/20/44 San Diego, CA	Del Mar, CA	Yankees	.242	.41	66	3	16	0	1	0	4	2
57	Pagliarulo, Mike	S	R	6-2	195	3/15/60 Medford, MA	Medford, MA	Yankees	.266	.29	462	56	123	17	3	20	75	0
30	Randolph, Willie	R	R	5-11	166	7/6/54 Holly Hill, SC	Franklin Lakes, NJ	Nashville	.260	.135	450	82	117	19	4	19	80	8
18	Robertson, Andre	R	R	5-10	155	10/2/57 Orange, TX	Orange, TX	Yankees	.279	.104	420	73	117	21	1	2	38	12
12	Smalley, Roy	S	R	6-1	182	10/25/52 Los Angeles, CA	Franklin Lakes, NJ	Yankees	.248	.98	322	37	80	16	3	1	22	2
13	Smith, Keith	R	R	6-1	175	10/20/61 Los Angeles, CA	Canyon City, CA	Nashville	.275	.130	451	70	124	24	1	18	62	3
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NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
25	Baylor, Don	R	R	6-1	210	6/28/48 Austin, TX	Austin, TX	Yankees	.303	.144	534	82	162	33	3	21	85	17
62	Dayett, Brian	R	R	5-10	180	1/22/57 New London, CT	Deep River, CT	Columbus	.288	.128	479	105	138	28	5	35	108	1
23	DeStrade, Orestes	S	R	6-4	210	5/8/62 Havana, Cuba	Miami, FL	Yankees	.297	.207	29	3	6	0	1	0	5	0
55	Javier, Stan	S	R	6-0	180	9/1/65 San Francisco, CA	Macoris, DR	Fl. Lauderdale	.311	.129	425	61	124	24	5	18	74	3
21	Kemp, Steve	L	L	6-0	190	8/7/54 San Angelo, TX	Cresskill, NJ	Greensboro	.292	.292	489	109	152	34	6	12	77	33
46	Mattingly, Don	L	L	6-0	175	4/20/61 Evansville, IN	Evansville, IN	Yankees	.241	.109	373	53	90	17	3	12	49	1
22	Moreno, Omar	L	L	6-3	188	10/24/52 Puerto Armaelles, Pan	Puerto Armaelles, Pan	Columbus	.340	.43	159	35	54	11	3	8	37	2
14	Piniella, Lou	R	R	6-2	200	8/28/43 Tampa, FL	Allendale, NJ	Yankees	.283	.91	279	34	79	15	4	4	32	0
31	Winfield, Dave	R	R	6-6	220	10/3/51 St. Paul, MN	Teaneck, NJ	Yankees	.250	.48	152	17	38	9	1	1	17	7
53	Winters, Matt	L	R	6-3	202	3/18/60 Buffalo, NY	Williamsville, NJ	Yankees	.291	.53	148	19	43	9	1	2	16	1
								Columbus	.283	.152	598	99	169	26	8	32	116	15
									.292	.133	431	89	126	24	3	29	99	1

TORONTO BLUE JAYS EXHIBITION STADIUM

MANAGER: Bobby Cox (6)

COACHES: Cito Gaston (43), John Sullivan (8), Al Widmar (41), Jimmy Williams (24)

TRAINER: Ken Carson

NO. PITCHERS																			
	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO		
31	Acker, Jim	R	6-2	212	9/24/58 Freer, TX	Freer, TX	Toronto	5-1	4.33	38	5	0	1	97.2	103	38	44		
47	Alexander, Doyle	R	6-3	200	9/4/50 Cordova, AL	Arlington, TX	New York (AL)	0-2	6.35	8	5	0	0	28.1	31	7	17		
							Kinston	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	6.0	3	0	4		
							Toronto	7-6	3.93	17	15	5	0	116.2	126	26	46		
							Knoxville	9-13	3.43	29	28	9	1	188.2	182	65	131		
18	Cerutti, John	L	6-2	195	4/28/60 Albany, NY	Albany, NY	Toronto	15-11	3.91	34	34	11	0	223.0	238	61	99		
	Clancy, Jim	R	6-4	210	12/18/55 Chicago, IL	Oak Forest, IL	Toronto	7-10	3.94	41	17	2	0	162.1	160	72	76		
	Clark, Bryan	L	6-2	200	7/12/56 Madera, CA	Madera, CA	Seattle	2-4	2.49	26	0	0	4	43.1	30	20	51		
34	Clarke, Stan	R	6-1	180	8/9/60 Toledo, OH	Toledo, OH	Knoxville	1-1	3.27	10	0	0	0	11.0	10	5	7		
							Toronto	0-3	2.89	33	0	0	2	53.0	39	34	58		
							Syracuse	0-5	1.92	7	5	0	0	30.2	36	21	12		
28	Eichhorn, Mark	R	6-4	200	11/21/60 San Jose, CA	Watsonville, CA	Knoxville	6-12	4.33	21	20	3	0	120.2	124	47	54		
							Toronto	9-14	4.74	34	30	6	0	176.2	195	68	121		
38	Gott, Jim	R	6-4	215	8/3/59 Hollywood, CA	Orem, UT	Toronto	9-7	3.69	22	21	5	0	114.2	114	63	64		
	Howard, Dennis	S	5-11	185	4/24/59 Buffalo, NY	Orchard Park, NY	Syracuse	8-3	4.50	49	0	0	7	92.0	92	41	48		
25	Jackson, Roy Lee	R	6-2	205	5/1/54 Opelika, AL	Pinellas Park, FL	Toronto	7-7	3.71	49	5	1	15	116.1	123	29	44		
	Lamp, Dennis	R	6-3	210	9/23/52 Los Angeles, CA	Arlington Hgts, IL	White Sox	13-12	4.31	35	35	7	0	217.1	216	65	116		
48	Leal, Luis	R	6-3	215	3/21/57 Barquisimeto, VZ	Barquisimeto, VZ	Toronto	8-12	4.13	30	28	5	1	172.0	162	107	96		
	McKnight, Jack	R	6-2	185	6/7/61 Alvin, TX	Bee Branch, AR	Knoxville	7-4	4.45	50	0	0	9	64.2	63	37	47		
50	McLaughlin, Joey	R	6-2	215	7/11/56 Tulsa, OK	Sapulpa, OK	Toronto	0-3	5.16	16	4	0	0	45.1	48	21	22		
30	Morgan, Mike	R	6-3	200	10/8/59 Tulsa, CA	Las Vegas, NV	Toronto	0-3	5.59	5	4	0	1	19.1	20	13	17		
							Syracuse	6-3	3.36	61	0	0	18	69.2	53	51	73		
	Shipanoff, Dave	R	6-0	175	12/13/59 Edmonton, Alta	St. Albert, Alta	Knoxville	0-1	3.27	8	0	0	0	11.0	9	9	18		
37	Siebb, Dave	R	6-0	190	7/22/57 Santa Ana, CA	Palm Harbor, FL	Syracuse	17-12	3.04	36	36	14	0	278.0	223	93	187		
45	Williams, Matt	R	6-1	200	7/25/59 Houston, TX	Clute, TX	Toronto	8-8	3.41	21	21	6	0	148.0	106	64	116		
							Syracuse	1-1	14.63	4	3	0	0	8.0	13	7	5		
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13	Martinez, Buck	R	5-11	200	11/7/48 Redding, CA	Leawood, KS	Toronto	253	88	221	27	56	14	0	10	33	0		
14	Petralli, Geno	S	6-1	185	9/25/59 Sacramento, CA	Sacramento, CA	Syracuse	245	104	327	39	80	9	2	3	40	0		
							Toronto	0.00	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
							Toronto	0.00	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
12	Pinkham, Bill	R	6-5	215	8/25/59 Worcester, MA	Anaheim, CA	Knoxville	252	72	250	23	63	14	0	10	41	0		
	Whitt, Ernie	L	6-2	200	6/13/52 Detroit, MI	Mt. Clemens, MI	Toronto	256	123	344	53	88	15	2	17	56	1		
INFELDERS																			
	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO		
1	Aikens, Willie	L	6-2	220	10/14/54 Seneca, SC	Seneca, SC	Kansas City	302	125	410	49	124	26	1	23	72	0		
	Fernandez, Tony	S	6-2	165	8/6/62 S.P. de Macoris, DR	S.P. de Macoris, DR	Syracuse	300	117	437	65	131	18	6	5	38	35		
							Toronto	265	15	34	5	9	1	1	0	2	0		
7	Garcia, Damaso	R	6-0	175	2/7/57 Moca, DR	Moca, DR	Toronto	307	131	525	84	161	23	6	3	38	31		
4	Griffin, Alfredo	R	5-11	165	3/6/57 Santo Domingo, DR	S.P. de Macoris, DR	Toronto	250	162	528	62	132	22	9	4	47	8		
16	Jorg, Garth	R	5-11	170	10/12/54 Arcata, CA	Blue Lake, CA	Toronto	275	122	375	40	103	22	5	2	39	7		
44	Johnson, Cliff	R	6-4	225	7/22/47 San Antonio, TX	Converse, TX	Toronto	265	142	407	59	108	23	1	22	76	0		
2	Manrique, Fred	R	6-1	175	11/5/61 Bolivar, VZ	Bolivar, VZ	Syracuse	268	128	485	55	130	22	8	10	50	3		
	McGriff, Fred	L	6-3	200	10/31/63 Tampa, FL	Tampa, FL	Florence	311	33	119	26	37	3	1	7	26	3		
							Kinston	243	94	350	53	85	14	1	21	57	3		
5	Mulliniks, Rance	L	6-0	170	1/15/56 Tulare, CA	El Paso, TX	Toronto	275	129	364	54	100	34	3	10	49	0		
	Reynolds, Jeff	R	6-1	195	1/27/60 Charleston, WV	Ranson, WV	Syracuse	219	128	434	46	95	15	1	13	50	1		
26	Upshaw, Willie	L	6-0	185	4/27/57 Blanco, TX	Fairfield, CT	Toronto	306	160	579	99	177	26	7	27	104	10		
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29	Barfield, Jesse	R	6-1	200	10/29/59 Joliet, IL	Houston, TX	Toronto	253	128	388	58	98	13	3	27	68	2		
11	Bell, George	R	6-1	185	10/21/59 S.P. de Macoris, DR	S.P. de Macoris, DR	Syracuse	271	85	317	37	86	11	4	15	59	5		
							Toronto	268	39	112	5	30	5	4	2	17	1		
10	Collins, Dave	S	5-10	175	10/20/52 Rapid City, SD	Springboro, OH	Toronto	271	118	402	55	109	12	4	1	34	31		
15	Moseby, Lloyd	L	6-3	205	11/5/59 Portland, OR	Sacramento, CA	Toronto	315	151	539	104	170	31	7	18	81	27		
21	Shepard, Ron	R	6-4	175	10/27/60 Longview, TX	Kilgore, TX	Syracuse	272	119	404	77	120	26	8	9	45	21		
23	Webster, Mitch	S	6-1	185	5/16/59 Larned, KS	Larned, KS	Syracuse	260	135	462	77	120	26	8	9	45	21		
							Toronto	182	11	11	2	2	0	0	0	0	0		

MILWAUKEE BREWERS COUNTY STADIUM

MANAGER: Rene Lachemann (9)

COACHES: Pat Dobson (45), Larry Haney (12), Tom Trebelhorn, Dave Garcia (36)

TRAINERS: Freddie Frederico, John Adam

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
46	Augustine, Jerry	L	6-0	185	7/24/52	Keweenaw, WI	Hales Corners, WI	Milwaukee	3-3	5.74	34	7	1	2	64.1	89	25	40
26	Beene, Andy	R	6-3	205	10/12/56	Freeport, TX	Humble, TX	Milwaukee	0-0	4.50	1	0	0	0	2.0	3	1	0
48	Caldwell, Mike	R	6-0	185	1/22/49	Tarboro, NC	Raleigh, NC	Vancouver	13-6	5.03	26	26	3	0	154.0	138	104	95
49	Candiotti, Tom	R	6-3	205	8/31/57	Walnut Creek, CA	Concord, CA	Milwaukee	12-11	4.53	32	32	10	0	228.1	269	51	58
		R						Milwaukee	4-4	3.23	10	8	2	0	55.2	62	16	21
		R						Vancouver	6-4	2.81	15	14	5	0	99.1	87	17	61
		R						El Paso	1-0	2.92	7	0	0	2	24.2	23	7	18
47	Cocanower, Jamie	R	6-4	190	2/14/57	Balboa Hgts, CA	Little Rock, AR	Milwaukee	2-0	1.80	5	3	1	0	30.0	21	12	8
		R						Vancouver	10-10	4.81	23	23	5	0	153.1	177	59	79
34	Fingers, Rollie	R	6-4	200	8/25/46	Steubenville, OH	La Mesa, CA	Milwaukee	3-4	3.90	27	7	0	2	80.2	71	46	46
40	Gibson, Bob	R	6-0	195	6/19/57	Philadelphia, PA	Springfield, PA	Milwaukee	13-3	3.27	25	25	7	0	179.0	170	42	75
30	Haas, Moose	R	6-0	170	4/22/56	Baltimore, MD	Hampstead, MD	Milwaukee	17-8	2.03	27	27	18	0	222.0	177	68	165
	Higuera, Teodoro	S	5-10	178	11/9/58	Los Mochis, Mexico	Ciudad, Mexico	Juarez	3-4	2.55	44	0	0	25	49.1	30	16	41
27	Ladd, Pete	R	6-3	240	7/17/56	Portland, ME	Tucson, AZ	Milwaukee	0-0	1.35	12	0	0	5	13.1	10	4	16
		R						Vancouver	9-9	4.50	24	23	4	0	142.0	152	68	68
10	McClure, Bob	S	5-11	170	4/29/53	Oakland, CA	Delafield, WI	Milwaukee	7-9	4.50	25	21	6	0	134.0	162	38	76
43	Porter, Chuck	R	6-3	188	1/12/56	Baltimore, MD	Baltimore, MD	Milwaukee	0-1	4.74	7	1	0	1	19.0	30	12	10
		R						Vancouver	6-10	6.36	21	21	2	0	109.0	135	63	69
20	Roberts, Scott	R	6-4	200	10/7/59	Seattle, WA	Seattle, WA	Vancouver	8-13	4.08	31	31	4	0	220.1	209	54	134
	Sutton Don	R	6-1	190	4/2/45	Clio, AL	Laguna Hills, CA	Milwaukee	9-4	2.80	44	0	0	8	99.2	95	35	48
42	Tellmann, Tom	R	6-4	184	3/29/54	Warren, PA	Greendale, WI	Milwaukee	0-2	4.91	3	3	0	0	14.2	15	10	10
50	Vuckovich, Pete	R	6-4	200	10/27/52	Johnstown, PA	Hales Corners, WI	Milwaukee	0-2	5.10	10	2	0	0	30.0	39	11	20
36	Waits, Rick	L	6-3	195	5/15/52	Atlanta, GA	Tucson, AZ	Milwaukee	0-1	4.58	8	0	0	0	19.2	23	9	13
		R						Cleveland	16-5	1.30	24	23	15	0	186.2	149	45	135
	Wegman, Bill	R	6-5	200	12/19/62	Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Stockton	9-5	4.58	41	5	2	4	74.2	33	100	101
	Williams, Bruce	R	6-1	214	12/28/62	West Linn, OR	Pikeville, KY	Beloit										
CATCHERS																		
21	Schroeder, Bill	R	6-2	200	9/7/58	Baltimore, MD	Trenton, NJ	Milwaukee	.178	23	73	7	13	2	1	3	7	0
		R						Vancouver	.286	82	304	51	87	13	3	20	70	2
23	Sundberg, Jim	R	6-0	195	5/18/51	Galesburg, IL	Arlington, TX	Texas	.201	131	378	30	76	14	0	2	28	0
	Simmons, Ted	S	6-0	200	8/1/49	Highland Park, MI	St. Louis, MO	Milwaukee	.308	153	600	76	185	39	3	13	108	4
INFELDERS																		
51	Castillo, Juan	R	5-11	155	1/25/63	San Pedro, DR	San Pedro, DR	El Paso	.271	123	461	79	125	24	2	8	62	33
15	Cooper, Cecil	L	6-2	190	12/20/49	Brenham, TX	Mequon, WI	Milwaukee	.307	160	661	106	203	37	3	30	126	2
17	Gantner, Jim	L	5-11	175	1/5/54	Eden, WI	Hales Corners, WI	Milwaukee	.282	161	603	85	170	23	8	11	74	5
13	Howell, Roy	L	6-1	194	12/18/53	Lompoc, CA	Shell Beach, CA	Milwaukee	.278	69	194	23	54	9	6	4	25	1
4	Molitor, Paul	R	6-0	175	8/22/56	St. Paul, MN	San Diego, CA	Milwaukee	.270	152	608	95	164	28	6	15	47	41
7	Money, Don	R	6-1	190	6/7/46	Washington, DC	Vineland, NJ	Milwaukee	.149	43	114	5	17	5	0	1	8	0
2	Ready, Randy	R	5-11	180	1/8/60	San Mateo, CA	Tucson, AZ	Milwaukee	.405	12	37	8	15	3	2	1	6	0
		R						Vancouver	.329	116	407	82	134	28	1	13	59	24
11	Riles, Earnest	L	6-1	180	10/2/60	Whigham, GA	Whigham, GA	El Paso	.349	130	476	109	166	31	3	13	91	9
	Romero, Ed	R	5-11	150	12/9/57	Santurce, PR	Rio Piedras, PR	Milwaukee	.317	59	145	17	46	7	0	1	18	1
19	Yount, Robin	R	6-0	170	9/16/55	Danville, IL	Scottsdale, AZ	Milwaukee	.308	149	578	102	178	42	10	17	80	12
OUTFIELDERS																		
29	Brouhard, Mark	R	6-1	210	5/22/56	Burbank, CA	Woodland Hills, CA	Milwaukee	.276	56	185	25	51	10	1	7	23	0
		R						Vancouver	.321	45	165	23	53	15	0	5	30	1
	Felder, Mike	S	5-8	160	11/18/62	Richmond, CA	Richmond, CA	El Paso	.282	133	554	108	156	23	10	9	78	71
14	James, Dion	L	6-1	170	11/9/62	Philadelphia, PA	Sacramento, CA	Milwaukee	.100	11	20	1	2	0	0	0	1	1
		R						Vancouver	.336	129	467	84	157	29	5	8	68	22
28	Manning, Rick	L	6-1	180	9/2/54	Niagara Falls, NY	Chagrin Falls, OH	Milwaukee	.229	108	375	40	85	14	4	3	33	11
		R						Cleveland	.278	50	194	20	54	6	0	1	10	7
22	Moore, Charlie	R	5-11	180	6/21/53	Birmingham, AL	Greendale, WI	Milwaukee	.284	151	529	65	150	27	6	2	49	11
24	Oglvie, Ben	L	6-2	170	2/11/49	Colon, Panama	Tempe, AZ	Milwaukee	.280	125	411	49	115	19	3	13	66	4
	Peyton, Eric	L	5-10	170	11/22/59	San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA	El Paso	.343	54	210	38	72	8	4	8	40	9
		R						Vancouver	.207	72	271	36	56	11	1	10	29	9
	Clark, Bobby	R	6-0	190	6/13/55	Sacramento, CA	Placentia, CA	California	.231	76	212	17	49	9	1	5	21	0

BOSTON RED SOX FENWAY PARK

MANAGER: Ralph Houk (35)

COACHES: John Pesky (6), Eddie Yost (36), Walt Hrinik (33), Tommy Harper (32), Lee Stange (34)

TRAINER: Charlie Moss

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
45	Aponte, Luis	R	R	6-0	185	7/14/54 Lel Tigre, Ven	Ciudad Bolivar, Ven	Boston	5-4	3.63	34	0	0	3	62.0	74	23	32
23	Boyd, Dennis	R	R	6-1	155	10/6/59 Meridian, MS	Meridian, MS	Pawtucket	5-8	4.04	20	17	9	1	122.2	119	41	120
27	Brown, Mike	R	R	6-2	195	3/4/59 Haddon Township, NJ	Vienna, VA	Boston	6-6	4.67	19	18	3	0	104.0	110	43	35
38	Burt, Dennis	R	R	6-0	185	11/29/57 San Diego, CA	Orange, CA	Pawtucket	4-5	5.30	23	20	1	0	110.1	109	75	66
25	Clear, Mark	R	R	6-4	215	5/27/56 Los Angeles, CA	Corona, CA	Boston	4-5	6.28	48	0	0	4	96.0	101	68	81
28	Crawford, Steve	R	R	6-5	225	4/29/58 Pryor, OK	Salina, OK	Pawtucket	8-11	5.18	27	27	4	0	154.2	181	80	104
31	Denman, Brian	R	R	6-4	210	2/12/56 Minneapolis, MN	Richfield, MN	Pawtucket	8-11	5.02	26	25	3	0	154.1	182	66	76
43	Eckersley, Dennis	R	R	6-2	195	10/3/54 Oakland, CA	Wayland, MA	Boston	9-13	5.61	28	28	2	0	176.1	223	39	77
47	Hurst, Bruce	L	L	6-3	215	3/24/58 St. George, UT	St. George, UT	Boston	12-12	4.09	33	32	6	0	211.1	241	62	115
48	Johnson, John Henry	L	L	6-2	210	8/21/56 Houston, TX	Reno, NV	Boston	3-2	3.71	34	1	0	1	53.1	58	20	51
49	Johnson, Mitch	R	R	6-5	210	8/2/62 Columbia, PA	Mt. Joy, PA	Win-Sal	15-8	3.11	31	28	14	1	214.0	197	59	146
49	Nipper, Al	R	R	6-0	188	4/2/59 San Diego, CA	Hazelwood, MO	New-Brit	4-3	2.82	10	9	3	0	67.0	46	25	42
								Pawtucket	9-4	4.45	18	17	4	0	109.1	108	54	58
								Boston	1-1	2.25	3	2	1	0	16.0	17	7	5
19	Ojeda, Bob	L	L	6-1	190	12/17/57 Los Angeles, CA	Visalia, CA	Boston	12-7	4.04	29	28	5	0	173.2	173	73	94
44	Schoppee, Dave	R	R	6-3	200	4/24/57 Bangor, ME	Portland, ME	Pawtucket	3-2	6.58	41	1	0	5	65.2	77	57	32
46	Stanley, Bob	R	R	6-4	220	4/24/57 Portland, ME	Wentham, MA	Boston	8-10	2.85	64	0	0	33	145.1	145	38	65
	Woodward, Robbie	R	R	6-3	185	9/28/62 Hanover, NH	W. Lebanon, NH	Win-Sal	13-11	4.14	30	29	7	0	197.2	177	100	157
CATCHERS																		
39	Allenson, Gary	R	R	5-11	193	2/4/55 Culver City, CA	Mesa, AZ	Boston	230	84	230	19	53	11	0	3	30	0
10	Gedman, Rich	L	R	6-0	215	9/26/59 Worcester, MA	Framingham, MA	Boston	294	81	204	21	60	16	1	2	18	0
	Malpaso, Dave	R	R	6-0	200	12/18/60 Franklin, VA	N. Miami, FL	New-Brit	258	120	430	54	11	19	3	9	72	3
5	Newman, Jeff	R	R	6-2	215	9/11/48 Ft. Worth, TX	Danville, CA	Boston	189	59	132	11	25	4	0	3	7	0
15	Sullivan, Marc	R	R	6-4	205	7/25/58 Quincy, MA	Canton, MA	New-Brit	229	73	231	30	53	15	1	7	43	1
								Pawtucket	.186	27	70	9	13	3	0	1	7	2
INFELDERS																		
17	Barrett, Marty	R	R	5-10	175	6/23/58 Arcadia, CA	Las Vegas, NV	Pawtucket	345	36	119	24	41	4	2	1	18	5
								Boston	227	33	44	7	10	1	1	0	2	0
26	Boggs, Wade	L	R	6-2	190	6/15/58 Omaha, NB	Tampa, FL	Boston	361	153	582	100	210	44	7	5	74	3
7	Bustabad, Juan	L	R	5-10	150	8/16/61 Havana, Cuba	Hialeah, FL	Pawtucket	214	71	215	26	46	8	2	1	24	3
								New-Brit	265	67	215	26	57	4	1	0	19	17
16	Davis, Mike	R	R	6-0	170	7/18/59 Janesville, WI	Janesville, WI	Pawtucket	228	77	246	24	56	9	0	5	35	2
41	Gutierrez, Jackie	R	R	5-11	175	6/27/60 Cartagena, Co	Cartagena, Co	New-Brit	278	67	248	36	69	7	2	4	25	12
								Pawtucket	266	66	233	30	62	11	1	1	17	5
								Boston	.300	5	10	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
18	Hoffman, Glenn	R	R	6-2	190	7/7/58 Orange, CA	Anaheim, CA	Boston	260	143	473	56	123	24	1	4	41	1
22	Jurak, Ed	R	R	6-2	185	10/24/57 Los Angeles, CA	San Pedro, CA	Boston	277	75	159	19	44	8	4	0	18	1
	Lyons, Steve	L	R	6-3	190	6/3/60 Tacoma, WA	Mission Viejo, CA	New-Brit	246	132	456	83	112	24	7	7	62	47
2	Remy, Jerry	L	R	5-9	165	11/8/52 Fall River, MA	Weston, MA	Boston	275	146	592	73	163	16	5	0	43	11
11	Stapleton, Dave	R	R	6-1	185	1/16/54 Fair Hope, AL	Daphne, AL	Boston	247	151	542	54	134	31	1	10	66	1
OUTFIELDERS																		
20	Armas, Tony	R	R	6-1	200	7/12/53 Anzoatequi, Ven	Anzoatequi, Ven	Boston	218	145	574	77	125	23	2	36	107	0
50	Burgess, Gus	L	L	5-11	189	12/18/61 Boynton Beach, FL	Delray Beach, FL	Pawtucket	269	130	449	62	121	11	6	8	66	21
	Easler, Mike	R	R	6-1	196	11/29/50 Cleveland, OH	Pittsburgh, PA	Pittsburgh	307	115	381	44	117	17	2	10	54	4
24	Evans, Dwight	L	R	6-3	205	11/3/51 Santa Monica, CA	Lynnfield, MA	Boston	238	126	470	74	112	19	4	22	58	3
12	Graham, Lee	L	L	5-10	170	9/22/59 Summerfield, FL	Bellevue, FL	Pawtucket	276	136	507	78	140	23	3	11	59	51
								Boston	.000	5	6	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
3	Miller, Rick	L	L	6-0	180	4/19/48 Grand Rapids, MI	Wayland, MA	Boston	286	104	262	41	75	10	2	2	21	3
51	Nichols, Reid	R	R	5-11	172	8/5/58 Ocala, FL	Ocala, FL	Boston	285	100	274	35	78	22	1	6	22	7
14	Rice, Jim	R	R	6-2	205	3/8/53 Anderson, SC	Anderson, SC	Boston	305	155	626	90	191	34	1	39	126	0
1	Walker, Chico	S	R	5-9	179	11/25/57 Jackson, MS	Chicago, IL	Pawtucket	269	125	442	78	119	18	1	18	56	27
								Boston	.400	4	5	2	2	0	2	0	1	0

CLEVELAND INDIANS MUNICIPAL STADIUM

MANAGER: Pat Corrales (18)

COACHES: Johnny Goryl (4), Don McMahon (47), Ed Napoleon (1), Dennis Sommers (6)

TRAINER: Jim Warfield

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO	
51	Anderson, Bud	R	R	6-3	210	5/27/56	Rockville Centre, NY	Strongsville, OH	Charleston	1-0	3.60	13	0	0	2	20.0	21	9	15
41	Baller, Jay	R	R	6-6	215	10/6/60	Slayton, OR	Canby, OR	Cleveland	1-6	4.08	39	1	0	7	68.1	64	32	32
27	Barnes, Richard	R	L	6-4	186	7/21/59	Palm Beach, FL	Lake Worth, FL	Charleston	4-12	8.81	20	16	2	2	78.2	91	66	62
32	Behenna, Rick	R	R	6-2	170	3/6/60	Miami, FL	Miami, FL	Buffalo	1-2	7.53	16	1	0	1	34.2	32	35	35
28	Blyleven, Bert	R	R	6-3	205	4/6/51	Zeist, Holland	Villa Park, CA	Denver	11-6	4.10	22	22	8	0	131.0	133	69	62
40	Camacho, Ernie	R	R	6-1	180	2/1/56	Salinas, CA	Salinas, CA	Charleston	1-0	3.65	2	2	0	0	12.1	9	9	3
64	Doyle, Rich	R	R	6-5	205	2/4/63	La Mirada, CA	La Mirada, CA	Cleveland	1-1	6.94	4	2	0	0	11.2	18	10	2
13	Eichelberger, Juan	R	R	6-2	195	10/21/53	St. Louis, MO	Poway, CA	Atlanta	3-3	4.58	14	6	0	0	37.1	37	12	17
58	Farr, Steve	R	R	5-10	198	12/12/56	La Plata, MD	Poway, CA	Richmond	6-5	4.47	17	16	1	0	94.2	91	61	50
43	Frazier, George	R	R	6-5	200	10/13/54	Oklahoma City, OK	Tulsa, OK	Cleveland	0-2	4.15	5	4	0	0	26.0	22	14	9
44	Heaton, Neal	L	L	6-1	205	3/3/60	Jamaica, NY	Holtsville, NY	Cleveland	7-10	3.91	24	24	5	0	156.1	160	44	123
54	Jeffcoat, Mike	L	L	6-2	187	8/3/59	Pine Bluff, AR	Pine Bluff, AR	Vancouver	0-2	6.85	11	3	0	0	23.2	31	12	16
65	Roman, Jose	R	R	6-0	175	1/23/63	Santo Domingo, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Charleston	4-0	1.35	24	0	0	4	33.1	19	17	27
33	Smith, Roy	R	R	6-3	200	9/6/61	Mt. Vernon, NY	Mt. Vernon, NY	Cleveland	0-1	5.06	4	0	0	0	5.1	5	2	2
37	Spillner, Dan	R	R	6-1	190	11/27/51	Casper, WY	Issaquah, WA	Buffalo	5-7	4.65	18	18	4	0	98.2	95	50	80
40	Sutcliffe, Rick	L	L	6-7	200	6/21/56	Independence, MO	Lee's Summit, MO	Cleveland	4-11	4.90	28	15	2	0	134.0	132	59	56
52	Thompson, Rick	S	R	6-3	225	11/1/58	New York, NY	Huntington Sta., NY	Buffalo	13-1	1.61	18	15	5	1	112.0	88	50	108
46	Waddell, Tom	R	R	6-1	185	9/17/58	Dundee, Scotland	Closter, NJ	Yankees	4-4	3.43	61	0	0	8	115.1	94	45	78
23	Bando, Chris	S	R	6-0	195	2/4/56	Cleveland, OH	Bainbridge Twp., OH	Cleveland	11-7	4.16	39	16	4	7	149.1	157	44	75
9	Hassey, Ron	L	R	6-2	195	2/27/53	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ	Charleston	12-8	4.53	26	25	6	0	167.0	187	46	96
53	Willard, Jerry	L	R	6-2	195	3/14/60	Oxnard, CA	Port Hueneme, CA	Cleveland	1-3	3.31	11	2	0	0	32.2	32	13	9

CATCHERS

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23	Bando, Chris	S	R	6-0	195	2/4/56	Cleveland, OH	Bainbridge Twp., OH	Cleveland	256	48	121	15	31	3	0	4	15	0
9	Hassey, Ron	L	R	6-2	195	2/27/53	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ	Cleveland	270	117	341	48	92	21	0	6	42	2
53	Willard, Jerry	L	R	6-2	195	3/14/60	Oxnard, CA	Port Hueneme, CA	Charleston	301	127	396	61	119	22	2	19	77	0

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16	Bernazard, Tony	S	R	5-9	160	8/24/56	Caguas, PR	Naperville, IL	Chicago (AL)	282	59	233	30	61	16	2	2	26	2
22	Fischlin, Mike	R	R	6-1	165	9/13/55	Sacramento, CA	Tucson, AZ	Seattle	267	80	300	35	80	18	1	6	30	21
14	Franco, Julio	R	R	6-0	160	8/23/61	San Pedro, DR	San Pedro, DR	Cleveland	209	95	225	31	47	5	2	2	23	9
21	Hargrove, Mike	L	L	6-0	195	10/26/49	Perryton, TX	Perryton, TX	Cleveland	273	149	560	68	153	24	8	8	80	32
26	Jacoby, Brook	R	R	5-11	175	11/23/59	Philadelphia, PA	Ventura, CA	Cleveland	286	134	469	57	134	21	4	3	57	0
55	Noboa, Junior	R	R	5-10	155	11/10/64	Azua, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Richmond	315	133	489	88	154	32	2	25	100	1
15	Perkins, Broderick	R	R	5-10	180	11/23/54	Pittsburg, CA	Spring Valley, CA	Atlanta	000	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Thornton, Andre	R	R	6-2	205	8/13/49	Tuskegee, AL	Bainbridge Twp., OH	Waterloo	256	132	449	64	115	22	3	1	29	47
7	Bannister, Alan	R	R	5-11	175	9/3/51	Montebello, CA	Mesa, AZ	Cleveland	272	79	184	23	50	10	0	0	24	1
2	Buller, Brett	L	L	5-10	160	6/15/57	Los Angeles, CA	Atlanta, GA	Cleveland	281	141	508	78	143	27	1	17	77	4
59	Carter, Don	S	R	5-11	160	2/11/60	Kansas City, KS	Kansas City, KS	Yankees	267	16	60	10	16	1	2	0	10	10
8	Castillo, Carmelo	R	R	6-1	185	6/8/58	San Pedro, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Buffalo	278	36	148	29	40	5	2	4	22	4
12	Rhomberg, Kevin	R	R	6-0	175	11/22/55	Dubuque, IA	Willoughby, OH	Charleston	278	23	36	9	10	2	1	1	3	1
52	Nixon, Otis	S	R	6-2	180	1/9/59	Evergreen, NC	Evergreen, NC	Charleston	311	133	508	102	158	17	7	1	60	27
10	Tabler, Pat	R	R	6-2	198	2/2/58	Hamilton, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Cleveland	476	12	21	2	10	0	0	0	2	1
62	Taylor, Dwight	L	L	5-9	160	3/24/60	Los Angeles, CA	Tucson, AZ	Columbus	291	138	557	129	162	11	6	0	41	94
24	Vukovich, George	L	R	6-0	198	6/24/56	Chicago, IL	Dunedin, FL	Yankees	143	13	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
61	Washington, Randy	R	R	5-11	190	8/7/63	Stockton, CA	Stockton, CA	Charleston	214	4	14	2	3	0	1	0	2	0
									Buffalo	302	131	451	95	136	13	4	8	38	95
									Cleveland	247	124	312	31	77	13	2	3	44	3
									Waterloo	291	127	413	66	120	24	3	19	89	9

OUTFIELDERS

NO.	OUTFIELDERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
7	Bannister, Alan	R	R	5-11	175	9/3/51	Montebello, CA	Mesa, AZ	Cleveland	285	117	377	51	100	25	4	5	45	6
2	Buller, Brett	L	L	5-10	160	6/15/57	Los Angeles, CA	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	281	151	549	84	154	21	13	5	37	39
59	Carter, Don	S	R	5-11	160	2/11/60	Kansas City, KS	Kansas City, KS	Memphis	303	112	423	61	128	7	2	0	30	29
8	Castillo, Carmelo	R	R	6-1	185	6/8/58	San Pedro, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Buffalo	278	36	148	29	40	5	2	4	22	4
12	Rhomberg, Kevin	R	R	6-0	175	11/22/55	Dubuque, IA	Willoughby, OH	Charleston	278	23	36	9	10	2	1	1	3	1
52	Nixon, Otis	S	R	6-2	180	1/9/59	Evergreen, NC	Evergreen, NC	Charleston	311	133	508	102	158	17	7	1	60	27
10	Tabler, Pat	R	R	6-2	198	2/2/58	Hamilton, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Cleveland	476	12	21	2	10	0	0	0	2	1
62	Taylor, Dwight	L	L	5-9	160	3/24/60	Los Angeles, CA	Tucson, AZ	Columbus	291	138	557	129	162	11	6	0	41	94
24	Vukovich, George	L	R	6-0	198	6/24/56	Chicago, IL	Dunedin, FL	Yankees	143	13	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
61	Washington, Randy	R	R	5-11	190	8/7/63	Stockton, CA	Stockton, CA	Charleston	214	4	14	2	3	0	1	0	2	0
									Buffalo	302	131	451	95	136	13	4	8	38	95
									Cleveland	247	124	312	31	77	13	2	3	44	3
									Waterloo	291	127	413	66	120	24	3	19	89	9

CHICAGO WHITE SOX COMISKEY PARK

MANAGER: Tony La Russa (10)

COACHES: Loren Babe (46), Ed Brinkman (35), Dave Duncan (18), Art Kusnyer (15), Charley Lau (6), Jim Leyland (21), Dave Nelson (38), Joe Nossek (14)

TRAINERS: Herman Schneider, Brandt McFarlin

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
50	Agosto, Juan	L	L	6-0	175	2/23/58 Rio Piedras, PR	Carolina, PR	Denver	4-1	2.08	19	0	0	7	26.0	19	10	19
24	Bannister, Floyd	L	L	6-1	195	6/10/55 Pierre, SD	Scottsdale, AZ	White Sox	2-2	4.10	39	0	0	0	41.2	41	11	29
30	Barojas, Salome	R	R	5-9	160	6/16/57 Cordoba, Mexico	Cordoba, Mexico	White Sox	16-10	3.35	34	34	5	0	217.1	191	71	193
40	Burns, Britt	R	R	6-5	218	6/8/59 Houston, TX	Birmingham, AL	White Sox	3-3	2.47	52	0	0	12	87.1	70	32	38
34	Dotson, Richard	R	R	6-0	196	1/10/59 Cincinnati, OH	Novato, CA	White Sox	10-11	3.58	29	26	8	0	173.2	165	55	115
34	Fallon, Bob	L	L	6-3	200	2/18/60 New York, NY	Hollywood, FL	White Sox	22-7	3.23	35	35	80	0	240.0	209	106	137
45	Hickey, Kevin	L	L	6-1	170	2/25/56 Chicago, IL	Naperville, IL	White Sox	1-2	5.23	23	0	0	5	20.2	23	11	8
47	Hoffman, Guy	L	L	5-9	175	7/7/56 Ottawa, IL	Peoria, IL	White Sox	5-3	3.76	32	1	0	5	52.2	49	23	50
31	Hoyt, LaMarr	R	R	6-1	222	1/1/55 Columbia, SC	Columbia, SC	White Sox	1-0	7.50	11	0	0	0	6.0	14	2	2
49	Jones, Al	R	R	6-4	210	2/10/59 Charleston, MS	Charleston, MS	White Sox	24-10	3.66	36	36	11	0	260.2	236	31	148
67	Kern, Jim	R	R	6-5	205	3/15/49 Gladwin, MI	Arlington, TX	White Sox	0-0	0.97	55	0	0	22	102.0	54	39	124
33	Martz, Randy	L	R	6-4	215	5/28/56 Harrisburg, PA	St. Charles, MO	White Sox	0-0	3.86	2	0	0	0	2.1	3	2	0
43	Mura, Steve	R	R	6-2	190	2/12/55 New Orleans, LA	Chesterfield, MO	White Sox	8-7	5.12	21	21	5	0	128.1	158	44	60
28	Niemann, Randy	R	L	6-4	200	11/15/55 Scotia, CA	Fortuna, CA	White Sox	3-11	4.82	19	19	4	0	121.1	121	49	85
41	Reed, Ron	R	R	6-6	225	11/2/42 La Porte, IN	Lilburn, GA	White Sox	0-0	4.38	6	0	0	0	12.1	13	6	4
7	Seaver, Tom	R	R	6-1	210	11/17/44 Fresno, CA	Greenwich, CT	Hawaii	0-1	9.22	8	1	0	0	13.2	20	7	8
54	Siwy, Jim	R	R	6-4	200	9/20/58 Central Falls, RI	Central Falls, RI	Philadelphia	2-3	4.50	16	14	0	0	82.0	95	45	52
								Mets	9-14	3.48	61	0	0	8	95.2	89	34	73
								Denver	3-3	3.55	34	34	5	0	231.0	201	86	135
								White Sox		6.14	37	2	0	5	51.1	60	25	36
								White Sox		273	6	11						
								White Sox		230	127	256	30	59	10	1	1	11
								White Sox		237	114	262	42	62	16	5	3	31
								White Sox		331	42	169	26	56	8	4	4	31
								White Sox		179	41	78	18	14	3	0	1	4
								White Sox		273	133	477	77	130	19	4	21	88
								White Sox		200	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	1
								White Sox		243	408	55	99	21	5	4	42	3
								White Sox		307	115	420	65	129	32	3	9	63
								White Sox		231	67	242	37	66	9	2	9	41
								White Sox		251	68	215	30	54	10	2	8	36
								White Sox		222	143	153	21	34	4	1	11	3
								White Sox		270	118	307	32	83	16	3	10	55
								White Sox		254	61	181	24	46	10	1	2	12
								White Sox		251	99	334	47	84	9	4	1	40
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
								White Sox		239	113	435	65	104	15	1	18	50
								White Sox		255	14	51	11	13	4	1	2	7
								White Sox		294	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		254	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34
								White Sox		255	144	502	73	128	26	1	32	95
								White Sox		300	134	520	89	156	27	7	20	95
								White Sox		200	8	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
								White Sox		334	111	395	94	132	30	6	7	54
								White Sox		170	29	53	3	9	2	0	4	0
								White Sox		251	60	219	28	85	12	0	6	20
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
								White Sox		239	113	435	65	104	15	1	18	50
								White Sox		255	14	51	11	13	4	1	2	7
								White Sox		294	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		254	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34
								White Sox		255	144	502	73	128	26	1	32	95
								White Sox		300	134	520	89	156	27	7	20	95
								White Sox		200	8	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
								White Sox		334	111	395	94	132	30	6	7	54
								White Sox		170	29	53	3	9	2	0	4	0
								White Sox		251	60	219	28	85	12	0	6	20
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
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								White Sox		294	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		254	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34
								White Sox		255	144	502	73	128	26	1	32	95
								White Sox		300	134	520	89	156	27	7	20	95
								White Sox		200	8	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
								White Sox		334	111	395	94	132	30	6	7	54
								White Sox		170	29	53	3	9	2	0	4	0
								White Sox		251	60	219	28	85	12	0	6	20
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
								White Sox		239	113	435	65	104	15	1	18	50
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								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34
								White Sox		255	144	502	73	128	26	1	32	95
								White Sox		300	134	520	89	156	27	7	20	95
								White Sox		200	8	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
								White Sox		334	111	395	94	132	30	6	7	54
								White Sox		170	29	53	3	9	2	0	4	0
								White Sox		251	60	219	28	85	12	0	6	20
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
								White Sox		239	113	435	65	104	15	1	18	50
								White Sox		255	14	51	11	13	4	1	2	7
								White Sox		294	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		254	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34
								White Sox		255	144	502	73	128	26	1	32	95
								White Sox		300	134	520	89	156	27	7	20	95
								White Sox		200	8	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
								White Sox		334	111	395	94	132	30	6	7	54
								White Sox		170	29	53	3	9	2	0	4	0
								White Sox		251	60	219	28	85	12	0	6	20
								White Sox		280	156	596	76	167	32	3	20	99
								White Sox		239	113	435	65	104	15	1	18	50
								White Sox		255	14	51	11	13	4	1	2	7
								White Sox		294	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		254	101	126	17	37	9	1	5	22
								White Sox		283	141	501	95	142	20	7	3	34</

KANSAS CITY ROYALS

ROYALS STADIUM

MANAGER: Dick Howser (10)

COACHES: Howie Bedell(46), Gary Blaylock (43), Mike Ferraro (41), Jose Martinez (42), Jim Schaffer (44), Lee May (14)

TRAINERS: Mickey Cobb, Paul McGannon

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
40	Black, Bud	L	L	6-2	180	6/30/57 San Mateo, CA	Palm Desert, CA	Omaha	3-1	3.34	5	5	3	0	35.0	31	13	32
37	Botelho, Derek	R	R	6-2	165	8/2/56 Long Beach, CA	Boca Raton, FL	Omaha	10-7	3.79	24	24	3	0	161.1	159	43	58
	Cone, David	L	R	6-1	180	1/2/63 Kansas City, MO	Kansas City, MO	Omaha	10-14	5.42	25	25	6	0	152.2	155	73	101
	Cook, Doug	R	R	6-2	185	8/2/62 W. Palm Beach, FL	Palm Springs, FL	INJURED - DID NOT PLAY										
21	Creel, Keith	R	R	6-2	180	2/4/59 Dallas, TX	Duncanville, TX	Omaha	2-2	3.44	9	9	1	0	52.1	50	29	55
	Erickson, Roger	R	R	6-3	185	8/30/56 Springfield, IL	Orlando, FL	Omaha	6-4	2.92	12	10	4	0	71.0	55	41	66
	Ferreira, Tony	L	L	6-1	160	10/4/62 Riverside, CA	Riverside, CA	Omaha	4-2	3.04	7	7	2	0	53.1	44	24	41
	Gubioza, Mark	R	R	6-6	215	8/14/62 Philadelphia, PA	Philadelphia, PA	Columbus	9-7	6.35	25	10	1	0	89.1	116	35	31
32	Gura, Larry	L	L	6-1	185	11/26/47 Joliet, IL	Buckner, MO	Omaha	0-1	4.32	5	0	0	0	16.2	13	8	7
38	Huisman, Mark	R	R	6-3	195	5/11/58 Littleton, CO	Littleton, CO	Omaha	7-11	3.08	28	28	5	2	136.1	122	68	85
	Jackson, Danny	R	L	6-0	190	1/5/62 San Antonio, TX	Aurora, CO	Omaha	14-12	4.43	16	16	3	0	105.2	102	69	88
22	Leonard, Dennis	R	R	6-1	195	5/8/51 Brooklyn, NY	Blue Springs, MO	Omaha	5-7	3.71	10	10	1	0	63.0	69	19	31
29	Quisenberry, Dan	R	R	6-2	180	2/7/54 Santa Monica, CA	Kansas City, MO	Omaha	3-3	1.94	69	0	0	45	139.0	118	11	48
45	Shaw, Theo	R	R	6-0	185	5/30/62 Cook County, IL	Belwood, IL	Omaha	5-7	4.43	16	16	3	0	105.2	102	69	88
34	Spittorff, Paul	L	L	6-3	210	10/8/46 Evansville, IN	Blue Springs, MO	Omaha	13-8	3.63	27	27	4	0	156.0	159	52	61
19	Wills, Frank	R	R	6-2	200	10/26/58 New Orleans, LA	New Orleans, LA	Omaha	5-2	2.48	8	8	2	0	54.1	44	23	40
	Yuhus, Vinnie	R	R	6-1	185	5/23/61 New Brunswick, NJ	Englishtown, NJ	Omaha	4-11	4.64	16	16	4	0	95.0	96	45	65
28	Beckwith, Joe	L	R	6-3	200	1/28/55 Auburn, AL	Placencia, CA	Omaha	2-1	4.15	6	4	0	0	34.2	35	15	23
		L	R	6-3	200			Los Angeles	7-7	4.65	19	18	2	0	102.2	112	45	65
		L	R	6-3	200				3-4	3.55	42	3	0	1	71.0	73	35	50
CATCHERS																		
7	Hansen, Roger	R	R	6-1	205	8/28/61 Johnstown, PA	Westlake Vlg, CA	Omaha	282	107	387	51	109	13	1	2	62	1
12	Slaughter, Don	R	R	6-1	190	9/11/58 Long Beach, CA	Palos Verdes, CA	Omaha	312	83	276	21	86	13	4	0	28	3
	Wathan, John	R	R	6-2	205	10/4/49 Cedar Rapids, IA	Blue Springs, MO	Omaha	245	128	437	49	107	18	3	2	33	27
INFELDERS																		
	Balboni, Steve	R	R	6-3	225	1/16/57 Brockton, MA	Manchester, NH	Columbus	274	84	317	72	87	14	0	27	81	1
1	Biancalana, Buddy	S	R	5-11	160	2/2/60 Larkspur, CA	Lee's Summit, MO	Omaha	233	32	86	8	20	2	0	5	17	0
5	Brett, George	L	R	6-0	200	5/15/53 Glendale, WV	Rancho Mirage, CA	Omaha	200	6	15	2	3	0	0	0	1	1
2	Concepcion, Onix	R	R	5-6	180	10/5/58 Dorado, PR	Dorado, PR	Omaha	310	123	464	90	144	38	2	25	93	0
35	Johnson, Ron	R	R	6-3	220	3/23/56 Long Beach, CA	Fort Myers, FL	Omaha	242	80	219	22	53	11	3	0	20	10
3	Pastornicky, Cliff	R	R	5-11	170	11/18/58 Seattle, WA	Bellevue, WA	Omaha	317	104	356	47	113	21	1	10	49	0
4	Pryor, Greg	R	R	6-0	185	10/2/49 Marietta, OH	Longboat Key, FL	Omaha	259	9	27	2	7	0	0	0	1	0
	Scranton, Jim	R	R	6-0	175	5/5/60 Torrance, CA	Perris, CA	Omaha	125	9	32	4	4	0	0	2	5	0
30	Washington, U.L.	S	R	5-11	175	10/27/53 Stringtown, OK	Blue Springs, MO	Omaha	217	68	115	9	25	4	0	1	14	0
20	White, Frank	R	R	5-11	175	9/4/50 Greenville, MS	Lee's Summit, MO	Omaha	218	141	450	43	98	10	1	2	31	8
		R	R	5-11	175			Omaha	236	144	547	76	129	19	6	5	41	41
		R	R	5-11	175			Omaha	260	146	549	52	143	35	6	11	77	13
OUTFIELDERS																		
47	Brewer, Mike	R	R	6-5	190	10/24/59 Shreveport, LA	Palo Alto, CA	Omaha	252	120	412	63	104	23	3	9	42	28
33	Davis, Butch	R	R	6-0	185	6/19/58 Martin County, NC	Williamston, NC	Omaha	317	90	331	51	105	15	7	14	63	29
		R	R	6-0	185			Omaha	316	46	171	27	54	10	3	5	21	13
11	McRae, Hal	R	R	5-11	185	7/10/46 Avon Park, FL	Bradenton, FL	Omaha	344	33	122	13	42	2	6	2	18	4
14	Motley, Darryl	R	R	5-9	196	1/21/60 Muskogee, OK	Portland, OR	Omaha	311	157	589	84	183	41	6	12	82	2
		R	R	5-9	196			Omaha	281	130	506	89	142	32	5	16	60	19
16	Roberts, Leon	R	R	6-3	200	1/22/51 Vicksburg, MI	Arlington, TX	Omaha	235	19	68	9	16	1	2	3	11	2
	Ryal, Mark	L	L	6-1	185	4/28/60 Henryetta, OK	Ralston, OK	Omaha	258	84	213	24	55	7	0	8	24	1
15	Sheridan, Pat	L	R	6-3	175	12/4/57 Ann Arbor, MI	Wayne, MI	Omaha	260	132	454	61	118	28	5	9	56	4
		L	R	6-3	175			Omaha	307	20	75	16	23	4	5	4	14	2
		L	R	6-3	175			Omaha	270	109	333	43	90	12	2	7	36	12
6	Wilson, Willie	S	R	6-3	195	7/9/55 Montgomery, AL	Blue Springs, MO	Omaha	276	137	576	90	159	22	8	2	33	59

TEXAS RANGERS

ARLINGTON STADIUM

MANAGER: Doug Rader (11)

COACHES: Rich Donnelly (37), Glenn Ezell (18), Merv Rettenmund (22), Dick Such (52), Wayne Terwilliger (42).

TRAINER: Bill Zeigler

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
33	Cook, Glen	R	R	5-11	180	9/8/59 Buffalo, NY	Tulsa, OK	Burlington	4-2	4.10	9	9	0	0	52.2	50	24	59
								Tulsa	4-6	3.13	11	11	0	0	72.0	60	26	70
23	Cruz, Victor	R	R	5-9	190	12/24/57 Dominican Rep.	Dominican Rep.	Oklahoma City	0-1	4.50	3	3	0	0	20.0	16	7	16
								Texas	1-3	2.16	30	0	0	14	33.1	22	9	35
44	Darwin, Danny	R	R	6-3	190	10/25/55 Bonham, TX	Arlington, TX	Texas	8-13	1.44	17	0	0	5	25.0	16	10	18
32	Guzman, Jose	R	R	6-2	160	4/9/63 Puerto Rico	Puerto Rico	Burlington	12-8	2.97	25	24	2	0	154.2	133	52	146
35	Henke, Tom	R	R	6-5	215	12/21/57 Kansas City, MO	Jefferson City, MO	Oklahoma City	9-6	3.01	47	0	0	2	77.2	71	33	90
								Texas	1-0	3.38	8	0	0	1	16.0	16	4	17
36	Henry, Dwayne	R	R	6-3	205	2/16/62 Elkhart, MD	Middletown, DE	Sarasota	0-0	4.00	3	2	0	0	9.0	10	1	11
49	Hough, Charlie	R	R	6-2	190	1/5/48 Honolulu, HI	Brea, CA	Texas	15-13	3.18	34	33	11	0	252.0	219	95	152
21	Jones, Odell	R	R	6-3	174	1/13/53 Tulare, CA	Beaverton, OR	Texas	3-6	3.09	42	0	0	10	67.0	56	22	50
51	Lachowicz, Al	R	R	6-3	198	9/6/60 Pittsburgh, PA	McKees Rocks, PA	Oklahoma City	5-3	2.89	17	16	3	0	115.1	101	52	96
16	Mason, Mike	L	L	6-2	205	11/21/58 Faribault, MN	Minnetonka, MN	Texas	0-1	2.25	2	1	0	0	8.0	9	2	8
								Oklahoma City	5-5	4.16	16	16	1	0	88.2	100	26	50
								Texas	0-2	5.91	5	0	0	0	10.2	10	6	9
34	Musselman, Ron	R	R	6-1	195	11/11/54 Wilmington, NC	Wilmington, NC	Oklahoma City	9-11	5.39	27	21	2	0	137.0	164	50	83
24	Schmidt, Dave	R	R	6-1	185	4/22/57 Niles, MI	Arlington, TX	Texas	3-3	3.88	31	0	0	2	46.1	42	14	29
31	Stewart, Dave	R	R	6-2	200	2/19/57 Oakland, CA	Claremont, CA	Los Angeles	5-2	2.96	46	1	0	8	76.0	67	33	54
28	Tanana, Frank	L	L	6-3	195	7/3/53 Detroit, MI	Arlington, TX	Texas	5-2	2.14	8	8	2	0	59.0	50	17	24
41	Tobik, Dave	R	R	6-1	190	3/2/53 Euclid, OH	W. Bloomfield, MI	Oklahoma City	3-0	3.54	12	0	0	0	159.1	144	49	108
38	Wright, Ricky	L	L	6-3	175	11/22/58 Paris, TX	Paris, TX	Texas	2-1	3.68	27	0	0	9	44.0	36	13	30
								Los Angeles	0-0	2.84	6	0	0	0	6.1	5	2	5
								Albuquerque	7-6	4.86	33	7	1	11	83.1	75	58	68
								Texas	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	0	2.0	0	1	2
CATCHERS																		
30	Gonzalez, Otto	R	R	6-2	188	10/15/63 Puerto Rico	Puerto Rico	Burlington	267	108	389	49	104	28	0	12	58	2
8	Johnson, Bobby	R	R	6-3	195	7/31/59 Dallas, TX	Arlington, TX	Texas	211	72	175	18	37	6	1	5	16	3
43	Scott, Donnie	S	R	5-11	185	8/16/61 Dunedin, FL	Seminole, FL	Oklahoma City	253	112	371	44	94	14	3	4	54	0
								Texas	0.00	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
								Milwaukee	224	61	96	21	44	5	1	6	28	1
INFELDERS																		
14	Anderson, Jim	R	R	6-0	180	2/23/57 Los Angeles, CA	Arlington, TX	Texas	216	50	102	8	22	1	1	0	6	1
25	Bell, Buddy	R	R	6-2	185	8/27/51 Pittsburgh, PA	Cincinnati, OH	Texas	277	156	618	75	171	35	3	14	66	3
7	Dent, Bucky	R	R	5-11	190	11/25/51 Savannah, GA	Wyckoff, NJ	Texas	237	131	417	36	99	15	2	2	34	3
12	Hosteller, Dave	R	R	6-4	215	3/27/56 Pasadena, CA	Arlington, TX	Texas	220	94	304	31	67	9	2	11	46	0
6	Jones, Bobby	L	L	6-1	170	10/11/49 Elkhart, MD	Loveland, CO	Oklahoma City	357	46	171	25	61	14	3	4	29	0
								Texas	222	41	72	5	16	4	0	1	11	0
9	O'Brien, Pete	L	L	6-1	185	2/9/58 Santa Monica, CA	Grand Prairie, TX	Texas	237	154	524	53	124	24	5	8	53	5
2	Richard, Mike	R	R	6-0	170	5/24/58 Los Angeles, CA	Madera, CA	Oklahoma City	267	30	116	7	31	5	0	2	13	3
								Texas	157	22	83	9	13	2	1	7	2	2
1	Stein, Bill	R	R	5-10	170	1/21/47 Battle Creek, MI	Arlington, TX	Texas	310	78	232	21	72	15	1	2	33	2
3	Tolleson, Wayne	S	R	5-9	160	11/22/55 Spartanburg, SC	Spartanburg, SC	Texas	260	134	470	64	122	13	2	3	20	33
19	Wilkinson, Curtis	S	R	5-9	158	4/26/61 Petersburg, VA	Sutherland, VA	Oklahoma City	312	89	343	51	107	19	4	3	31	14
								Texas	171	16	35	7	6	0	1	0	1	3
OUTFIELDERS																		
20	Buckley, Kevin	R	R	6-1	200	1/16/59 Quincy, MA	Brantree, MA	Tulsa	293	134	512	73	150	30	2	32	104	4
27	Canady, Chuckie	R	R	5-11	190	8/12/59 Onslow, NC	Maysville, NC	Tulsa	296	132	486	100	144	21	4	25	80	27
4	Capra, Nick	R	R	5-8	165	3/8/58 Denver, CO	Denver, CO	Oklahoma City	256	124	441	84	113	17	4	13	41	27
								Texas	0.00	8	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Dunbar, Tommy	L	L	6-2	192	11/24/59 Graniteville, SC	Graniteville, SC	Oklahoma City	281	135	498	73	140	34	5	4	65	10
								Texas	250	12	24	3	6	0	0	0	3	3
15	Parrish, Larry	R	R	6-3	215	11/10/53 Winter Haven, FL	Haines City, FL	Texas	282	145	555	76	151	27	4	26	88	0
17	Rivers, Mickey	L	L	5-10	162	10/20/48 Miami, FL	Arlington, TX	Texas	285	96	309	37	88	17	0	1	20	9
5	Sample, Billy	R	R	5-9	175	4/2/55 Roanoke, VA	Arlington, TX	Texas	274	147	554	80	152	28	3	12	57	44
								Los Angeles	278	157	623	76	173	34	5	19	88	8
26	Ward, Gary	R	R	6-2	202	12/6/53 Los Angeles, CA	Rowland Hgts, CA	Minnesota	276	162	634	79	175	28	6	18	80	8
								Oklahoma City, OK	276	162	634	79	175	28	6	18	80	8

OAKLAND A's OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COLISEUM

MANAGER: Steve Boros (14)

COACHES: Clete Boyer (41), Jackie Moore (42), Bob Didier (45), Ron Schueler (37), Billy Williams (26)

TRAINERS: Barry Weinberg, Larry Davis

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
55	Atherton, Keith	R	R	6-4	200	2/19/59 Matthews, VA	Matthews, VA	Tacoma	3-8	3.96	26	14	1	2	120.1	117	44	93
53	Bradley, Bert	S	R	6-1	190	12/23/57 Athens, GA	Toledo, IL	Oakland	2-5	2.77	29	0	0	4	68.1	53	23	40
19	Burgmeier, Tom	L	L	5-11	180	8/2/43 St. Paul, MN	Lenexa, KS	Oakland	6-0	6.48	6	0	0	0	8.1	14	4	3
36	Caudill, Bill	R	R	6-5	200	8/22/50 Idabel, OK	Arlington, TX	Oakland	6-7	2.63	49	0	0	4	96.0	89	32	39
23	Codiroli, Chris	R	R	6-1	210	7/13/56 Santa Monica, CA	Bellevue, WA	Montreal	4-7	3.68	40	17	2	0	154.0	139	56	100
24	Conroy, Tim	R	R	6-1	180	3/26/58 Oxnard, CA	Fremont, CA	Seattle	2-8	4.71	63	0	0	26	72.2	70	38	73
59	Dye, Scott	L	R	6-1	195	4/3/60 Monroeville, PA	San Ramon, CA	Oakland	12-12	4.46	37	31	7	1	205.2	208	72	85
40	Farmer, Ed	R	R	6-6	210	1/9/57 Biloxi, MS	Tehachapi, CA	Oakland	7-10	3.94	39	18	3	0	162.1	141	98	112
13	Heimueller, Gorman	L	L	6-4	195	10/18/49 Evergreen Park, IL	Santa Monica, CA	Tidewater	1-3	6.08	27	0	0	5	37.0	47	20	23
32	Krueger, Bill	L	L	6-5	205	9/24/55 Los Angeles, CA	Playa Del Rey, CA	Tacoma	1-0	3.97	16	1	0	0	34.0	34	9	20
22	Langford, Rick	R	R	6-0	180	4/24/58 McMinnville, OR	McMinnville, OR	Philadelphia	0-6	6.08	12	3	0	0	26.2	35	20	16
54	McCarthy, Steve	R	R	6-3	210	3/20/54 Farmville, VA	Bradenton, FL	Portland	1-1	4.96	9	0	0	1	16.1	20	4	7
17	Norris, Mike	R	R	6-2	170	3/19/55 San Francisco, CA	Oakland, CA	Tacoma	0-0	4.91	6	0	0	0	7.1	9	4	9
49	Smith, Mark	L	R	6-2	215	11/23/55 Alexandria, VA	Kensington, MD	Oakland	0-0	3.48	5	1	0	0	10.1	15	0	7
43	Warren, Mike	R	R	6-1	175	3/26/61 Inglewood, CA	Garden Grove, CA	Tacoma	8-4	3.54	20	18	2	0	117.0	126	55	61
29	Young, Curt	R	L	6-1	175	10/18/59 Saginaw, MI	Saginaw, MI	Oakland	3-5	4.41	16	14	2	0	83.2	93	29	31
Stoddard, Tim	R	R	6-7	250	1/24/53 E. Chicago, IN	Timonium, MD	Oakland	7-6	3.61	17	16	2	0	109.2	104	53	58	
5	Bahe, Bill	R	R	6-2	200	10/14/60 Downey, CA	Whittier, CA	Oakland	0-4	12.15	7	7	0	0	20.0	43	10	2
2	Essian, Jim	R	R	6-1	187	1/2/51 Detroit, MI	Sterling Hgts, MI	Oakland	6-9	3.99	38	24	3	5	167.0	156	82	65
57	Heath, Mike	R	R	5-11	180	2/5/55 Tampa, FL	Danville, CA	Oakland	4-5	3.76	16	16	2	0	88.2	68	36	63
Tettleton, Mickey	S	R	6-2	200	9/16/60 Oklahoma City, OK	Oklahoma City, OK	Oakland	2-3	5.33	21	2	0	1	49.0	50	46	35	
34	Almon, Bill	R	R	6-3	190	11/21/52 Providence, RI	E. Greenwich, RI	Oakland	2-2	3.74	11	4	1	0	43.1	33	20	34
19	Brant, Marshall	R	R	6-5	215	9/17/55 Garberville, CA	Tempe, AZ	Oakland	1-0	6.75	8	1	0	0	14.2	24	6	10
20	Bochte, Bruce	L	L	6-3	200	11/12/50 Pasadena, CA	Woodinville, WA	Oakland	6-2	3.25	10	10	6	0	72.0	56	33	87
25	Hill, Donnie	S	R	5-10	160	11/12/60 Pomona, CA	Westminster, CA	Oakland	6-3	3.53	11	11	3	0	79.0	72	36	85
28	Kiefer, Steve	R	R	6-1	175	10/18/60 Chicago, IL	Garden Grove, CA	Oakland	5-3	4.11	12	9	3	0	65.2	51	18	30
4	Lansford, Carney	R	R	6-2	195	2/7/57 San Jose, CA	Baker, OR	Oakland	12-9	5.05	27	25	2	0	158.2	175	52	109
15	Lopes, Davey	R	R	5-9	170	5/3/46 E. Providence, RI	Pacific Palisades, CA	Oakland	0-1	16.00	8	2	0	0	9.0	17	5	5
7	Meyer, Dan	L	R	5-11	180	8/3/52 Hamilton, OH	Oakland, CA	Oakland	2-43	6.09	47	0	0	9	57.2	65	29	50
18	Morgan, Joe	L	R	5-7	160	9/19/43 Bonham, TX	Danville, CA	Oakland	2-3	5.33	21	2	0	1	49.0	50	46	35
12	Phillips, Tony	S	R	5-10	160	11/9/59 Atlanta, GA	Roswell, GA	Philadelphia	2-2	3.74	11	4	1	0	43.1	33	20	34
52	Pyznarski, Tim	R	R	6-2	195	2/4/60 Chicago, IL	Chicago Ridge, IL	Oakland	1-0	6.75	8	1	0	0	14.2	24	6	10
Quinones, Luis	S	R	5-11	155	4/28/62 Ponce, Puerto Rico	Ponce, Puerto Rico	Oakland	6-2	3.25	10	10	6	0	72.0	56	33	87	
3	Burroughs, Jeff	R	R	6-0	200	3/7/51 Long Beach, CA	Long Beach, CA	Oakland	5-3	4.11	12	9	3	0	65.2	51	18	30
16	Davis, Mike	L	L	6-3	185	6/11/59 San Diego, CA	San Ramon, CA	Oakland	12-9	5.05	27	25	2	0	158.2	175	52	109
11	Hancock, Garry	L	L	6-0	190	1/23/54 Tampa, FL	Brandon, FL	Oakland	2-4	6.09	47	0	0	9	57.2	65	29	50
56	Harrison, Ron	L	L	6-2	170	10/15/60 Sacramento, CA	Richmond, CA	Oakland	2-3	5.33	21	2	0	1	49.0	50	46	35
35	Henderson, Rickey	R	L	5-10	185	12/25/58 Chicago, IL	Chicago, IL	Oakland	1-0	6.75	8	1	0	0	14.2	24	6	10
21	Murphy, Dwayne	L	L	6-1	185	3/18/55 Merced, CA	San Ramon, CA	Oakland	6-2	3.25	10	10	6	0	72.0	56	33	87
6	Page, Mitchell	L	L	6-2	205	10/15/51 Los Angeles, CA	Oakland, CA	Oakland	2-3	5.33	21	2	0	1	49.0	50	46	35
31	Romano, Tom	R	R	5-11	170	10/25/58 Syracuse, NY	Mvrie Beach, SC	Oakland	1-0	6.75	8	1	0	0	14.2	24	6	10

CATCHERS																		
5	Bahe, Bill	R	R	6-2	200	10/14/60 Downey, CA	Whittier, CA	Tacoma	253	116	399	56	101	18	1	16	62	4
2	Essian, Jim	R	R	6-1	187	1/2/51 Detroit, MI	Sterling Hgts, MI	Cleveland	204	48	93	11	19	4	0	2	11	0
57	Heath, Mike	R	R	5-11	180	2/5/55 Tampa, FL	Danville, CA	Oakland	281	96	345	45	97	17	0	6	33	3
Tettleton, Mickey	S	R	6-2	200	9/16/60 Oklahoma City, OK	Oklahoma City, OK	Modesto	243	124	378	55	92	18	2	7	62	1	
INFELDERS																		
34	Almon, Bill	R	R	6-3	190	11/21/52 Providence, RI	E. Greenwich, RI	Oakland	266	143	451	45	120	29	1	4	63	26
19	Brant, Marshall	R	R	6-5	215	9/17/55 Garberville, CA	Tempe, AZ	Columbus	193	37	152	21	23	2	1	7	19	0
20	Bochte, Bruce	L	L	6-3	200	11/12/50 Pasadena, CA	Woodinville, WA	Tacoma	232	49	164	20	38	6	0	10	25	1
25	Hill, Donnie	S	R	5-10	160	11/12/60 Pomona, CA	Westminster, CA	Oakland	143	5	14	2	2	0	0	2	0	0
28	Kiefer, Steve	R	R	6-1	175	10/18/60 Chicago, IL	Garden Grove, CA	Tacoma	DID NOT PLAY	322	45	101	19	2	14	63	9	9
4	Lansford, Carney	R	R	6-2	195	2/7/57 San Jose, CA	Baker, OR	Oakland	266	53	158	20	42	7	0	2	15	1
15	Lopes, Davey	R	R	5-9	170	5/3/46 E. Providence, RI	Pacific Palisades, CA	Albany	246	123	415	68	102	18	1	19	81	25
7	Meyer, Dan	L	R	5-11	180	8/3/52 Hamilton, OH	Danville, CA	Oakland	308	80	299	43	92	16	2	10	45	3
18	Morgan, Joe	L	R	5-7	160	9/19/43 Bonham, TX	Oakland, CA	Oakland	277	147	494	64	137	13	4	17	67	22
12	Phillips, Tony	S	R	5-10	160	11/9/59 Atlanta, GA	Roswell, GA	Philadelphia	189	69	169	15	32	9	0	1	13	0
52	Pyznarski, Tim	R	R	6-2	195	2/4/60 Chicago, IL	Chicago Ridge, IL	Oakland	230	123	404	72	93	20	1	16	59	18
Quinones, Luis	S	R	5-11	155	4/28/62 Ponce, Puerto Rico	Ponce, Puerto Rico	Oakland	248	148	412	54	102	12	3	4	35	15	20
3	Burroughs, Jeff	R	R	6-0	200	3/7/51 Long Beach, CA	Long Beach, CA	Albany	279	124	416	84	116	15	4	28	79	20
16	Davis, Mike	L	L	6-3	185	6/11/59 San Diego, CA	San Ramon, CA	Tacoma	239	56	213	35	51	5	0	6	23	8
11	Hancock, Garry	L	L	6-0	190	1/23/54 Tampa, FL	Brandon, FL	Oakland	263	45	133	14	35	3	1	2	14	5
56	Harrison, Ron	L	L	6-2	170	10/15/60 Sacramento, CA	Richmond, CA	Oakland	190	19	42	5	8	2	1	0	4	1

CALIFORNIA ANGELS ANAHEIM STADIUM

MANAGER: John McNamara (2).

COACHES: Bob Clear (49), Preston Gomez (18), Bobby Knoop (1), Marcel Lachemann (51), Jimmie Reese (50)

TRAINERS: Rick Smith, Ned Bergert.

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
46	Aase, Don	R	R	6-3	210	9/8/54 Orange, CA	Garden Grove, CA	California	(Did Not Play-On Disabled List)									
36	Brown, Steve	R	R	6-5	200	2/12/57 San Francisco, Ca	Davis, CA	Edmonton	10-4	6.15	20	20	3	0	124.1	154	48	64
23	Corbett, Doug	R	R	6-1	185	11/4/52 Sarasota, FL	Apopka, FL	California	2-3	3.52	12	4	2	0	46.0	45	16	23
16	Curtis, John	L	L	6-2	185	3/9/48 Newton, MA	San Clemente, CA	Edmonton	1-1	3.63	11	0	0	1	17.1	26	4	18
43	Forsch, Ken	R	R	6-4	215	9/8/46 Sacramento, CA	Anaheim, CA	Edmonton	6-6	4.45	32	8	0	1	83.0	95	29	61
11	Hassler, Andy	L	L	6-5	220	10/18/51 Texas City, TX	Phoenix, AZ	California	1-2	3.80	37	3	0	5	90.0	89	40	36
25	John, Tommy	R	L	6-3	200	5/22/43 Terre Haute, IN	Anaheim, CA	California	11-12	4.06	31	31	11	0	219.1	226	61	81
35	Kibbe, Jay	R	L	6-3	200	4/12/58 Alton, IL	Anaheim, CA	California	0-5	5.45	42	0	0	4	36.1	42	17	20
24	Kison, Bruce	R	R	6-4	180	2/18/50 Pasco, WA	Houston, TX	Edmonton	11-13	4.33	34	34	9	0	234.2	287	49	65
27	McLaughlin, Byron	R	R	6-1	175	9/29/55 Van Nuys, CA	Hermosillo, MX	Edmonton	10-11	5.32	27	27	6	0	174.1	194	79	73
33	Mooneyham, Bill	R	R	6-0	175	8/16/60 Livermore, CA	Winton, CA	California	11-5	4.05	26	17	4	2	126.2	128	43	83
21	Moreno, Angel	L	L	5-9	165	6/6/55 Veracruz, MX	Aguascalientes, MX	Edmonton	1-2	5.83	14	6	0	1	46.1	51	15	42
40	Romanick, Ron	R	R	6-4	195	11/6/60 Bury, ID	Bellevue, WA	California	2-4	5.17	16	7	0	0	55.2	63	22	45
38	Sanchez, Luis	R	R	6-2	210	8/24/53 Carriaco, VZ	Carriaco, VZ	Nashua	8-6	4.58	19	19	6	0	110.0	99	83	76
42	Smith, Dave W	R	R	6-1	190	8/30/57 Tomball, TX	Houston, TX	Edmonton	2-0	9.84	7	7	0	0	35.2	51	22	26
39	Steirer, Rick	R	R	6-4	200	8/27/56 Baltimore, MD	Baltimore, MD	Edmonton	8-13	5.73	27	27	3	0	163.1	182	76	102
38	Witt, Mike	L	L	6-1	175	7/20/60 Fullerton, CA	Irvine, CA	Nashua	9-12	4.86	27	27	10	0	174.0	200	80	112
34	Zahn, Geoff	R	R	6-2	175	12/19/46 Baltimore, MD	Anaheim, CA	California	10-8	3.66	56	1	0	7	98.1	92	40	49
42	Kaufman, Curt	R	R	6-2	175	7/19/59 Omaha, NE	Harlan, IA	Nashua	2-2	1.98	24	0	0	8	36.1	32	15	30
39	LaCorte, Frank	R	R	6-1	180	10/13/51 San Jose, CA	Gilroy, CA	Edmonton	6-3	5.17	23	0	0	4	38.1	40	23	26
34	Slaton, Jim	R	R	6-0	185	6/19/50 Long Beach, CA	Long Beach, CA	Edmonton	7-7	3.84	28	7	2	1	86.2	85	33	58
8	Boone, Bob	R	R	6-2	202	11/19/47 San Diego, CA	Irvine, CA	California	3-2	4.82	19	5	0	5	61.2	77	18	25
34	Narron, Jerry	L	R	6-3	205	1/15/56 Goldsboro, NC	Anaheim, CA	California	7-14	4.91	43	19	2	5	154.0	173	75	77
							Harlan, IA	California	9-11	3.33	29	28	11	0	203.0	212	51	81
							Columbus	Yankees	6-3	2.75	50	0	0	25	78.2	60	33	93
							Houston	Edmonton	0-0	3.12	4	0	0	0	8.2	10	4	8
							Long Beach, CA	Milwaukee	4-4	5.06	37	0	0	3	53.1	35	28	48
									14-6	4.33	46	0	0	5	112.1	112	56	38

MINNESOTA TWINS METRODOME

MANAGER: Billy Gardner (42)

COACHES: Tom Kelly (41), Jim Lemon (44), Johnny Podres (46), Rick Stelmazek (43)

TRAINER: Dick Martin

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	-GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
37	Castillo, Bobby	R	R	5-10	180	4/18/55 Los Angeles, CA	Albuquerque, NM	Twins	8-12	4.77	27	25	3	0	158	170	65	90
39	Davis, Ron	R	R	6-4	196	8/6/55 Houston, TX	Houston, TX	Twins	5-8	3.34	66	0	0	30	89	89	33	84
23	Filson, Pete	S	L	6-2	195	9/28/58 Darby, PA	Folsom, PA	Toledo	0-1	7.71	2	1	0	0	7	8	3	6
27	Havens, Brad	L	L	6-1	192	11/17/59 Highland Park, MI	Royal Oak, MI	Twins	4-1	3.40	26	8	0	1	90	87	29	49
36	Hodge, Ed	L	L	6-2	192	4/19/58 Bellflower, CA	Lakewood, CA	Toledo	6-3	3.88	11	11	4	0	80	110	38	40
19	Lysander, Rick	R	R	6-2	188	2/21/53 Huntington Park, CA	West Los Angeles, CA	Toledo	11-6	3.97	28	25	2	0	143	137	64	72
33	O'Connor, Jack	L	L	6-3	200	6/2/58 Yucca Valley, CA	Yucca Valley, CA	Twins	5-12	3.38	61	4	1	3	125	132	43	58
17	Oelkers, Bryan	L	L	6-3	192	3/11/61 Zaragoza, SP	Overland, MO	Twins	2-3	5.86	27	8	0	0	83	107	36	56
35	Pettibone, Jay	R	R	6-4	182	6/21/57 Mt. Clemens, MI	Tustin, CA	Toledo	0-5	8.65	10	8	0	0	34	56	17	13
18	Schrom, Ken	R	R	6-2	195	11/23/54 Grangeville, ID	El Paso, TX	Twins	5-7	5.18	17	17	5	0	104	121	49	60
16	Viola, Frank	L	L	6-4	209	4/19/60 Hempstead, NY	East Meadow, NY	Orlando	13-7	3.97	25	25	4	0	161	157	61	105
30	Walters, Mike	R	R	6-5	203	10/18/57 St. Louis, MO	Indio, CA	Toledo	0-0	3.32	4	2	0	0	22	21	3	16
22	Whitehouse, Len	L	L	5-11	174	9/10/57 Burlington, VT	Burlington, VT	Twins	0-4	5.33	4	4	1	0	27	28	8	10
28	Williams, Al	R	R	6-4	187	5/7/54 Pearl Lagoon, NI	Orlando, FL	Twins	3-1	4.55	5	5	0	0	32	30	14	20
51	Yett, Richard	R	R	6-2	187	10/6/62 Pomona, CA	Chino, CA	Twins	15-8	3.71	33	28	6	0	196	196	80	80
51	Butcher, John	R	R	6-4	190	3/8/57 Glendale, CA	Glendale, CA	Twins	7-15	5.49	35	34	4	0	210	242	92	127
	Smithson, Mike	R	R	6-8	215	1/21/55 Centerville, TN	Centerville, TN	Toledo	3-0	1.96	27	0	0	12	46	37	17	29
								Twins	1-1	4.12	23	0	0	2	59	52	20	21
								Twins	7-1	4.15	60	0	0	2	74	70	44	44
								Twins	11-14	4.14	36	29	4	1	193	196	68	68
								Orlando	8-10	3.78	24	24	5	0	162	153	78	93
								Texas	6-6	3.51	38	6	1	5	123.0	128	41	58
								Twins	10-14	3.91	33	33	10	0	223.1	233	71	135
CATCHERS																		
20	Engle, Dave	R	R	6-3	216	11/30/56 San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA	Twins	305	120	374	46	114	22	4	8	43	2
15	Laudner, Tim	R	R	6-3	208	6/7/58 Mason City, IA	Hamilton, OH	Twins	185	62	168	20	31	9	0	6	18	0
21	Reed, Jeff	L	R	6-2	185	11/12/62 Joliet, IL	Joliet, IL	Orlando	264	118	379	52	100	16	5	6	45	2
5	Smith, Ray	R	R	6-1	185	9/18/55 Glendale, CA	Oceanside, CA	Toledo	171	14	41	5	7	1	1	0	3	0
								Twins	224	59	152	11	34	4	0	0	8	1
INFELDERS:																		
2	Castino, John	R	R	5-11	178	10/23/54 Evanston, IL	Orlando, FL	Twins	277	142	563	83	156	30	4	11	57	4
40	Espinosa, Alvaro	R	R	6-0	160	2/19/62 Valencia, VN	Valencia, VN	Visalia	319	130	486	57	155	20	1	4	57	6
12	Faedo, Lenny	R	R	6-0	180	5/13/60 Tampa, FL	Tampa, FL	Orlando	212	15	52	2	11	1	0	0	4	0
8	Gaetti, Gary	R	R	6-0	193	8/19/58 Centralia, IL	Centralia, IL	Twins	277	51	173	16	48	7	0	1	18	0
31	Gagne, Greg	R	R	5-11	185	11/12/61 Fall River, MA	Somerset, MA	Toledo	245	157	584	81	143	30	3	21	78	7
14	Hrbek, Kent	L	R	6-4	229	5/21/60 Minneapolis, MN	Excelsior, MN	Twins	255	119	392	61	100	22	4	17	66	6
1	Jimenez, Houston	R	R	5-8	144	10/30/57 Mexico City, MX	Navajo, MX	Twins	111	10	27	2	3	1	0	0	3	0
34	Teufel, Tim	R	R	6-0	175	7/7/58 Greenwich, CT	Greenwich, CT	Toledo	297	141	515	75	153	41	5	16	84	4
38	Washington, Ron	R	R	5-11	163	4/29/62 New Orleans, LA	New Orleans, LA	Twins	250	22	64	13	16	3	0	3	6	2
								Twins	174	36	86	5	15	5	1	0	0	0
								Twins	323	136	471	103	152	27	6	27	100	13
								Twins	308	21	78	11	24	7	1	3	6	0
								Twins	246	99	317	28	78	7	3	4	26	10
OUTFIELDERS:																		
26	Brown, Darrell	R	R	6-0	184	10/29/55 Oklahoma City, OK	Los Angeles, CA	Toledo	217	5	23	8	5	1	0	0	5	6
24	Brunansky, Tom	R	R	6-4	211	8/20/60 Covina, CA	Walnut, CA	Twins	272	91	309	40	84	6	2	0	22	3
25	Bush, Randy	L	L	6-1	186	10/5/58 Dover, DE	Gretna, LA	Twins	227	151	542	70	123	24	5	28	82	2
4	Eisenreich, Jim	L	L	5-11	194	4/18/59 St. Cloud, MN	St. Cloud, MN	Twins	249	124	373	43	93	24	3	11	56	0
48	Hart, Mike	L	L	5-11	185	2/17/58 Milwaukee, WI	New Berlin, WI	Toledo	286	2	7	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
9	Hatcher, Mickey	R	R	6-2	199	3/15/55 Cleveland, OH	Mesa, AZ	Twins	290	137	487	95	141	18	7	17	66	13
49	Lomastro, Jerry	R	R	5-11	185	8/9/58 Miami, FL	No. Miami Beach, FL	Twins	317	106	375	50	119	15	3	9	47	2
50	Meter, Dave	R	R	6-0	185	8/8/59 Helena, MT	Fresno, CA	Orlando	299	142	528	89	158	36	5	21	92	2
10	Mitchell, Bobby	L	L	5-10	169	4/7/55 Salt Lake City, UT	Valencia, CA	Toledo	336	126	426	63	143	21	6	8	68	1
45	Weaver, Jim	L	L	6-4	200	10/10/59 Kingston, NY	Holmes Beach, FL	Twins	230	59	152	26	35	4	2	1	15	1
7	Wilson, Tack	R	R	5-10	185	5/16/56 Shreveport, LA	Albuquerque, MN	Twins	247	138	497	85	123	25	2	5	84	42
								Toledo	250	5	4	4	1	1	0	0	1	0
								Toledo	325	109	416	71	135	20	3	3	33	26

SEATTLE MARINERS KINGDOME

MANAGER: Del Crandall (1)

COACHES: Chuck Cottier (15), Frank Funk (35), Ben Hines (33), Phil Roof (4)

TRAINER: Rick Griffin

PITCHERS																			CATCHERS																		
NO.		B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO																			
36	Beard, Dave	L	R	6-5	215	10/2/59 Atlanta, GA	San Ramon, CA	Oakland	5-5	5.61	43	0	0	10	61.0	55	36	40																			
45	Beattie, Jim	R	R	6-6	220	7/4/54 Hampton, VA	Auburn, NH	Modesto	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	2																			
	Best, Karl	R	R	6-4	190	3/6/59 Aberdeen, WA	Kent, WA	Seattle	10-15	3.84	30	29	8	0	196.2	197	66	132																			
								Seattle	0-1	13.50	4	0	0	0	5.1	14	5	3																			
41	Johnson, Mike	R	R	6-0	190	12/30/60 Minneapolis, MN	Maple Grove, MN	Salt Lake	7-4	4.82	51	1	0	3	84.0	86	64	108																			
43	Langston, Mark	R	L	6-2	177	8/20/60 San Diego, CA	Chattanooga	Bakersfield	2-7	2.54	49	0	0	9	67.1	49	52	97																			
25	Moore, Mike	R	R	6-4	205	11/26/59 Eakly, OK	Weatherford, OK	Chattanooga	14-9	3.59	28	28	10	0	198.0	187	102	142																			
								Salt Lake	4-4	3.61	11	11	4	0	82.1	78	54	80																			
								Seattle	6-8	4.71	22	21	3	0	128.0	130	60	108																			
24	Nelson, Gene	R	R	6-0	175	12/3/60 Tampa, FL	La Coachee, FL	Salt Lake	9-4	5.18	16	16	7	0	99.0	115	28	74																			
30	Nunez, Edwin	R	R	6-5	235	5/27/63 Humacao, PR	Humacao, PR	Seattle	0-3	7.88	10	5	1	0	32.0	38	21	11																			
								Salt Lake	4-4	7.10	14	12	3	0	77.1	99	36	52																			
								Seattle	0-4	4.38	14	5	0	0	37.0	40	22	35																			
46	Stanton, Mike	R	R	6-2	200	9/25/52 St. Louis, MO	Toccoa, GA	Seattle	2-3	3.32	50	0	0	7	65.0	65	28	47																			
34	Stoddard, Bob	R	R	6-1	200	3/8/57 San Jose, CA	Bellevue, WA	Seattle	9-17	4.41	35	23	2	0	175.2	182	58	87																			
49	Thomas, Roy	R	R	6-6	200	6/22/53 Quantico, VA	St. Charles, MO	Seattle	3-1	3.45	43	0	0	1	88.2	95	32	77																			
32	Vande Berg, Ed	R	L	6-2	175	10/26/58 Redlands, CA	Renton, WA	Seattle	2-4	3.36	68	0	0	5	64.1	59	22	49																			
40	Young, Matt	L	L	6-3	205	8/9/58 Pasadena, CA	Azusa, CA	Seattle	11-15	3.27	33	32	5	0	203.2	178	79	130																			
CATCHERS																			INFELDERS																		
11	Kearney, Bob	R	R	6-0	180	10/3/56 San Antonio, TX	San Antonio, TX	Oakland	255	108	198	33	76	11	0	8	32	1																			
2	Mercado, Orlando	R	R	6-0	180	11/7/61 Arecibo, PR	Arecibo, PR	Seattle	197	66	178	10	35	11	2	1	16	2																			
8	Sweet, Rick	S	R	6-0	190	9/7/52 Longview, WA	Bellevue, WA	Salt Lake	227	26	88	12	20	2	1	2	12	0																			
																			221	93	249	18	55	9	0	1	22	2									
INFELDERS																			OUTFIELDERS																		
12	Castillo, Manny	S	R	5-9	180	4/1/57 S. Domingo, DR	S. Domingo, DR	Seattle	207	91	203	13	42	6	3	0	24	1																			
9	Coles, Darnell	R	R	6-1	170	8/22/62 S. Bernardino, CA	Rialto, CA	Chattanooga	287	72	261	49	75	10	4	5	24	12																			
31	Nixon, Donnell	R	R	6-1	185	12/31/61 Evergreen, NC	Evergreen, NC	Salt Lake	316	61	234	43	74	12	5	10	41	11																			
	Owen, Spike	S	R	5-9	165	4/19/61 Cleburne, TX	Cleburne, TX	Seattle	283	27	92	9	26	7	0	1	6	0																			
								Bakersf'd	321	135	542	115	174	27	4	4	51	144																			
44	Perconte, Jack	L	R	5-10	160	8/31/54 Joliet, IL	McHenry, IL	Seattle	266	72	256	58	68	8	9	1	32	22																			
	Phelps, Ken	L	L	6-1	205	8/6/54 Seattle, WA	Tempe, AZ	Salt Lake	196	80	306	36	60	11	3	2	21	10																			
								Cleveland	269	14	26	1	7	1	0	0	0	3																			
19	Presley, Jim	R	R	6-1	180	10/23/61 Pensacola, FL	Pensacola, FL	Salt Lake	341	74	270	81	92	29	6	24	82	4																			
	Pulnam, Pat	L	R	6-1	214	12/3/53 Bethel, VT	Fort Myers, FL	Seattle	236	50	127	10	30	4	1	7	16	0																			
	Ramos, Domingo	R	R	5-10	155	3/29/58 Santiago, DR	Santiago, DR	Chattanooga	265	131	461	70	122	31	5	14	90	9																			
18	Reynolds, Harold	S	R	5-11	165	11/26/60 Eugene, OR	Corvallis, OR	Seattle	269	144	469	58	126	23	2	19	67	2																			
38	Tartabull, Danny	R	R	6-1	185	10/30/62 Cienfuegos, Cuba	Miami, FL	Salt Lake	283	53	127	14	36	4	0	2	10	3																			
																			309	136	534	84	165	20	9	1	72	54									
																			203	20	59	8	12	4	1	0	1	0									
																			301	128	481	95	145	32	7	13	66	25									
OUTFIELDERS																			CATCHERS																		
29	Bradley, Phil	R	R	6-0	175	3/11/59 Bloomington, IN	Columbus, MO	Seattle	207	91	203	13	42	6	3	0	24	1																			
13	Calderon, Ivan	R	R	5-11	160	3/19/62 Fajardo, PR	Loiza, PR	Chattanooga	287	72	261	49	75	10	4	5	24	12																			
47	Chambers, Al	L	L	6-4	217	3/24/61 Harrisburg, PA	Harrisburg, PA	Salt Lake	316	61	234	43	74	12	5	10	41	11																			
16	Cowens, Al	R	R	6-2	200	10/25/51 Los Angeles, CA	Cerritos, CA	Seattle	269	144	469	58	126	23	2	19	67	2																			
	Henderson, Dave	R	R	6-2	210	7/21/58 Dol Palos, CA	Bellevue, WA	Seattle	269	137	484	50	130	24	5	17	55	9																			
	Moses, John	S	L	5-9	165	8/9/57 Los Angeles, CA	Phoenix, AZ	Salt Lake	262	16	65	14	17	4	0	0	10	4																			
10	Nelson, Ricky	L	R	6-0	200	5/8/59 Eloy, AZ	Eloy, AZ	Seattle	208	93	130	19	27	4	1	0	6	11																			
								Salt Lake	333	29	102	20	34	6	3	5	27	4																			
								Seattle	221	81	145	12	32	4	0	2	12	3																			
21	Roenicke, Ron	L	R	6-0	180	8/19/56 Covina, CA	Claremont, CA	Seattle	254	98	291	32	74	13	3	5	36	7																			
22	Zisk, Richie	R	R	6-2	220	2/6/49 Brooklyn, NY	Lighthouse Pt., FL	Seattle	221	81	145	12	32	4	0	2	12	3																			
								Los Angeles	253	59	198	23	50	12	0	4	23	6																			
								Seattle	242	90	285	30	69	12	0	12	36	0																			

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES

VETERANS STADIUM

MANAGER: Paul Owens (5),
COACHES: Dave Bristol (4), John Felske (7), Deron Johnson (2), Claude Osteen (3), Mike Ryan (25)
TRAINER: Jeff Cooper

NATIONAL LEAGUE ROSTERS

NO.		PITCHERS		B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH		RESIDENCE		1983 CLUB		W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
30		Altamirano, Porfi	R	R	6-0	175		5/17/52	Esteli, NIC	Miami, FL		Portland	5-4	2.88	25	0	0	9	40.2	37	18	39	
47		Andersen, Larry	R	R	6-3	205		5/6/53	Portland, OR	Redmond, WA		Phillies	2-3	3.70	31	0	0	0	41.1	38	15	24	
50		Bystrom, Marty	R	R	6-5	210		7/26/58	Coral Gables, FL	Medford, NJ		Phillies	1-0	2.39	17	0	0	0	26.1	19	9	14	
32		Carlton, Steve	L	L	6-5	212		12/22/44	Miami, FL	Chesterfield, MO		Phillies	6-9	4.60	24	23	1	0	119.1	136	44	87	
39		Carman, Don	L	L	6-3	190		8/14/59	Oklahoma City, OK	Camargo, OK		Reading	15-16	3.11	37	37	8	0	283.2	277	84	275	
44		Comer, Steve	L	R	6-3	205		1/13/54	Minneapolis, MN	Minnetonka, MN		Phillies	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	
40		Denny, John	R	R	6-3	190		11/8/52	Prescott, AZ	Chesterfield, MO		SLC-Port.	8-4	3.76	29	15	1	2	122.0	137	38	59	
35		Ghelfi, Tony	R	R	6-3	185		8/23/61	LaCrosse, WI	LaCrosse, WI		Phillies	1-0	5.19	3	1	0	0	8.2	11	3	1	
46		Gross, Kevin	R	R	6-5	203		6/8/61	Downey, CA	Fillmore, CA		Phillies	19-6	2.37	36	36	7	0	242.2	229	53	139	
48		Hernandez, Willie	L	L	6-2	186		11/14/55	Aguada, PR	Aguada, PR		Portland	1-2	6.19	8	8	0	0	32.0	45	21	28	
19		Holland, Al	R	L	5-11	210		8/16/52	Roanoke, VA	Voorhees, NJ		Reading	10-3	3.68	16	16	4	0	110.0	99	42	96	
49		Hudson, Charles	R	R	6-3	185		3/16/59	Ennis, TX	Dallas, TX		Phillies	1-1	3.14	3	3	0	0	14.1	15	6	14	
45		McGraw, Tug	R	L	6-0	186		8/30/44	Martinez, CA	Media, PA		Portland	3-5	6.75	15	15	0	0	80.0	82	45	61	
		Riley, George	L	L	6-4	200		10/6/56	Philadelphia, PA	Philadelphia, PA		Phillies	4-6	3.56	17	17	1	0	96.0	100	35	66	
CATCHERS																							
10		Cipolloni, Joe	R	R	5-8	180		8/12/60	Philadelphia, PA	Turnersville, NJ		Cubs	1-0	3.15	9	1	0	1	20.0	16	6	18	
		Daulton, Darren	L	R	6-0	185		1/3/62	Arkansas City, KS	Arkansas City, KS		Phillies	8-4	3.29	63	0	0	7	95.2	93	26	75	
6		Diaz, Bo	R	R	5-11	200		3/23/53	Cua, VN	Cua, VN		Phillies	8-4	2.26	68	0	0	25	91.2	63	30	100	
17		Virgil, Ozzie	R	R	6-1	205		12/7/56	Mayaguez, PR	Glendale, AZ		Portland	6-3	2.67	10	9	3	0	64.0	48	16	51	
INFELDERS																							
13		Aguiayo, Luis	R	R	5-9	185		3/13/59	Vega Baja, PR	Vega Baja, PR		Phillies	8-8	3.35	26	26	3	0	169.1	158	53	101	
11		DeJesus, Ivan	R	R	5-11	182		1/9/53	Santurce, PR	Rio Piedras, PR		Phillies	2-1	3.56	34	1	0	0	55.2	58	19	30	
		Dowell, Ken	R	R	5-9	160		1/19/61	Sacramento, CA	Sacramento, CA		Reading	8-3	2.42	27	8	3	4	81.2	69	44	58	
18		Garcia, Kiko	R	R	5-11	178		10/14/53	Matineez, CA	San Diego, CA		Phillies	1-0	3.15	9	1	0	1	20.0	16	6	18	
15		Jeltz, Steve	R	R	5-11	170		5/28/59	Paris, FR	Lawrence, KY		Portland	3-5	6.75	15	15	0	0	80.0	82	45	61	
12		Matuszek, Len	L	R	6-2	198		9/27/54	Toledo, OH	Dunedin, FL		Phillies	12-5	1.3	8	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	
16		Melendez, Francisco	L	L	6-0	170		1/25/64	Rio Piedras, PR	Rio Piedras, PR		Portland	330	113	412	82	136	28	6	24	92	12	
		Samuel, Juan	R	R	5-11	168		12/9/61	San Pedro De Macoris, DR	Same		Phillies	275	28	80	12	22	6	1	4	16	0	
20		Schmidt, Mike	R	R	6-2	203		9/27/49	Dayton, OH	Philadelphia, PA		Reading	298	126	516	81	134	17	4	5	75	12	
		Sehu, Rick	R	R	6-0	170		1/26/62	Philadelphia, PA	Carmichael, CA		Reading	234	47	196	36	43	10	11	39	19		
OUTFIELDERS																							
28		Corcoran, Tim	L	L	5-11	175		4/19/53	Glendale, CA	Covina, CA		Portland	288	84	118	22	34	7	1	2	9	1	
29		Dernier, Bob	R	R	6-0	165		1/5/57	Kansas City, MO	Philadelphia, PA		Phillies	125	13	8	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	
21		Gross, Greg	L	L	5-11	175		8/1/52	York, PA	Berwyn, PA		Portland	265	71	229	38	65	14	3	5	33	7	
9		Hayes, Von	L	R	6-5	185		8/31/58	Stockton, CA	Ardmore, PA		Phillies	250	18	20	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	
223		Lefebvre, Joe	L	R	5-10	180		2/22/56	Concord, NH	Meriden, CT		Padres	.284	71	229	38	65	14	3	5	33	7	
38		Lezcano, Sixto	R	R	5-10	190		11/28/53	Arecibo, PR	Rio Piedras, PR		Phillies	.310	101	258	34	80	20	8	8	38	5	
31		Maddox, Gary	R	R	6-3	190		9/1/49	Cincinnati, OH	Philadelphia, PA		Padres	.233	97	317	41	71	11	2	8	49	0	
34		Matthews, Gary	R	R	6-3	205		7/5/50	San Francisco, CA	Phoenix, AZ		Phillies	.282	18	39	8	11	1	0	0	7	1	
227		Sanchez, Alejandro	R	R	6-0	185		2/26/59	San Pedro de Macoris, DR	Same		Phillies	.275	97	324	27	89	14	2	4	32	7	
26		Stone, Jeff	L	R	6-0	175		12/26/60	Kennett, MO	Hayti, MO		Portland	.258	132	446	66	115	18	2	10	50	13	
												Reading	.247	125	458	75	113	21	5	17	74	33	
												Phillies	.286	8	7	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	
												Reading	.317	125	552	109	156	25	10	9	67	90	
												Phillies	.750	9	4	2	3	0	2	0	3	4	

PITTSBURGH PIRATES

THREE RIVERS STADIUM

MANAGER: Chuck Tanner (7)

COACHES: Harvey Haddix (31), Grant Jackson (23), Joe Lonnett (32), Al Monchak (42), Bob Skinner (48)

TRAINERS: Tony Bartirome, Kent Biggerstaff

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
55	Bielecki, Mike	R	R	6-3	200	7/31/59 Baltimore, MD	Baltimore, MD	Lynn	15-7	3.19	25	25	7	0	163.2	126	69	143
56	Candelaria, John	S	L	6-7	232	11/6/53 New York, NY	Pittsburgh, PA	Pittsburgh	15-8	3.23	33	33	2	0	197.2	191	45	157
25	DeLeon, Jose	R	R	6-3	210	12/20/60 LaVega, DR	Perth Amboy, NJ	Hawaii	11-6	3.04	20	20	6	0	127.1	90	68	128
62	Green, Chris	L	L	6-2	214	9/5/60 Los Angeles, CA	Bradenton, FL	Hawaii	0-9	4.31	13	12	1	0	77.1	94	36	49
47	Guante, Cecilio	R	R	6-3	185	2/2/60 Jacagua, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Hawaii	5-6	3.98	23	9	4	6	74.2	76	31	73
61	Krawczyk, Ray	R	R	6-2	185	10/9/59 Sewickley, PA	Garden Grove, CA	Pittsburgh	2-6	3.32	49	0	0	9	100.1	90	46	82
54	Manzanillo, Ravelo	L	L	5-11	170	10/17/53 San Pedro, DR	San Pedro, DR	Hawaii	5-7	3.76	41	3	0	7	88.2	80	33	88
49	McWilliams, Larry	L	L	6-5	175	2/10/54 Wichita, KS	Richland Hls, TX	Pittsburgh	15-8	3.25	35	35	8	0	105.1	107	79	66
58	Pulido, Alfonso	L	L	5-11	170	1/23/59 Vera Cruz, MX	Vera Cruz, MX	Pittsburgh	0-0	2.02	29	23	15	2	238.0	205	87	199
29	Rhoden, Rick	R	R	6-4	200	5/16/53 Boynton Beach, FL	Bell Canyon, CA	Pittsburgh	13-13	3.09	36	35	7	1	244.1	256	68	153
43	Robinson, Don	R	R	6-4	231	6/8/57 Ashland, KY	Pittsburgh, PA	Lynn	0-1	8.10	2	2	0	0	6.2	9	2	5
38	Sarmiento, Manny	R	R	5-11	170	2/2/56 Cagua, Ven	Cagua, Ven	Pittsburgh	2-2	4.46	9	6	0	0	36.1	43	21	28
19	Scurry, Rod	L	L	6-2	180	3/17/56 Sacramento, CA	Sparks, NV	Pittsburgh	3-5	2.99	52	0	0	4	84.1	74	36	49
35	Sentenev, Steve	R	R	6-2	205	8/7/57 Indianapolis, IN	Citrus Hls, CA	Pittsburgh	4-9	5.56	61	0	0	7	68.0	63	53	67
22	Tunnell, Lee	R	R	6-1	180	10/30/60 Tyler, TX	Austin, TX	Tidewater	0-3	2.88	20	0	0	6	34.1	25	20	39
41	Winn, Jim	R	R	6-3	190	9/23/59 Stockton, CA	Clever, MO	Hawaii	0-1	3.96	31	1	0	3	51.2	54	19	55
44	Zaske, Jeff	R	R	6-5	180	10/6/60 Seattle, WA	Lynnwood, WA	Hawaii	4-4	4.70	25	0	0	3	177.2	167	58	95
27	Tekulve, Kent	R	R	6-4	175	3/5/47 Cincinnati, OH	Upper St. Clair, PA	Pittsburgh	11-6	3.65	35	25	5	0	177.2	167	58	95
18	Tenace, Gene	R	R	6-0	190	10/10/46 Russletton, PA	Poway, CA	Pittsburgh	0-0	7.36	7	0	0	0	11.0	12	6	3
37	Bellard, Rafael	R	R	5-9	139	10/24/61 Pueblo Nuevo, DR	Santiago, DR	Lynn	5-3	2.18	48	0	0	0	70.1	54	38	72
4	Berra, Dale	R	R	6-0	190	12/13/56 Ridgewood, NJ	Montclair, NJ	Pittsburgh	1-0	6.00	6	0	0	0	6.0	6	6	4
64	Gonzalez, Denny	R	R	5-11	165	7/22/63 Boya, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Hawaii	0-1	2.47	73	18	49	6	0	6	20	2
5	Madlock, Bill	R	R	5-11	190	1/12/51 Memphis, TN	Pittsburgh, PA	Pittsburgh	3-01	1.51	198	51	163	22	3	15	70	6
2	Morrison, Jim	R	R	5-11	182	9/23/52 Pensacola, FL	Aberdeen, MS	Pittsburgh	1.77	53	62	7	11	5	0	0	6	0
3	Ray, Johnny	S	R	5-11	170	3/1/57 Chouteau, OK	Chouteau, OK	Pittsburgh	283	151	576	68	163	38	7	5	53	18
30	Thompson, Jason	L	L	6-3	210	7/6/54 Hollywood, CA	Laguna Hills, CA	Pittsburgh	259	152	517	70	134	20	1	18	76	1
50	Vargas, Hedl	R	R	6-4	205	2/23/59 Guanica, PR	Guanica, PR	Lynn	310	20	71	13	22	5	0	2	13	0
15	Wotus, Ron	R	R	6-1	164	3/3/61 Hartford, CT	Colchester, CT	Hawaii	348	53	204	30	71	19	0	12	46	1
52	Bonilla, Bobby	S	R	6-3	210	2/23/63 New York, NY	Flushing, NY	Hawaii	301	125	465	94	140	28	6	10	62	8
28	Davis, Trench	L	L	6-3	185	9/12/60 Baltimore, MD	Baltimore, MD	Pittsburgh	.000	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
51	Frobel, Doug	L	R	6-4	196	6/6/59 Ottawa, ONT	Ottawa, ONT	Hawaii	256	136	504	88	129	19	7	11	59	28
12	Harper, Brian	R	R	6-2	195	10/16/59 Los Angeles, CA	Rolling Hills, CA	Pittsburgh	256	79	277	41	71	6	9	0	23	19
17	Lacy, Lee	R	R	6-1	175	4/10/48 Longview, TX	Calabasas PK, CA	Pittsburgh	256	79	277	41	71	6	9	0	23	19
11	Mazzilli, Lee	S	R	6-1	185	3/25/55 New York, NY	Greenwich, CT	Pittsburgh	304	101	378	66	115	18	6	24	80	23
16	Orslak, Joe	L	L	6-1	185	5/31/62 Parsippany, NJ	Parsippany, NJ	Hawaii	283	32	60	10	17	4	1	3	11	1
36	Wynne, Marvell	L	L	5-11	175	12/17/59 Chicago, IL	Chicago, IL	Pittsburgh	221	61	131	16	29	4	1	7	20	0
	Otis, Amos	R	R	5-11	180	4/26/47 Mobile, AL	Blue Springs, CO	Pittsburgh	302	108	288	40	87	12	3	4	13	31
								Pittsburgh	240	109	246	37	59	9	0	5	24	15
								Pittsburgh	286	139	538	87	154	12	13	10	58	38
								Pittsburgh	182	7	11	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
								Tidewater	286	51	175	32	50	13	1	3	29	4
								Pittsburgh	243	103	366	66	89	16	2	7	26	12
								Kansas City	261	98	356	35	93	16	3	4	41	5

MONTREAL EXPOS OLYMPIC STADIUM

MANAGER: Bill Virdon (7)

COACHES: Felipe Alou (71), Galen Cisco (36), Billy DeMars (2), Joe Kerrigan (40), Russ Nixon (12)

TRAINER: Ronald J. McClain

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ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

BUSCH STADIUM

MANAGER: Whitey Herzog (24)

COACHES: Red Schoendienst (2), Dave Ricketts (3), Mike Roarke (4), Hal Lanier (8), Nick Levya (16)

TRAINER: Gene Gieselmann

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO										
13	Allen, Neil	R	R	6-2	190	1/24/58 Kansas City, KS	Syosset, NY	New York	2-7	4.50	21	4	1	2	54	57	36	32										
								St. Louis	10-6	3.70	25	8	4	0	121.2	122	48	74										
49	Andujar, Joaquin	S	R	5-11	180	12/21/52 San Pedro, DR	San Pedro, DR	St. Louis	6-16	4.16	39	34	5	1	225	215	75	125										
23	Baker, Steve	R	R	6-1	200	8/30/56 Eugene, OR	Eugene, OR	Oakland	3-3	4.50	34	1	0	5	54	59	26	23										
								Tacoma	4-9	4.55	13	13	6	0	85	75	30	67										
								St. Louis	0-1	1.80	8	0	0	0	10	10	4	1										
33	Brito, Jose	R	R	6-2	160	10/28/59 Salcedo, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Arkansas	2-1	2.89	3	3	0	0	18.2	11	17	19										
								Louisville	3-3	5.49	26	6	1	0	77	82	45	56										
43	Citarella, Ralph	R	R	6-0	180	2/7/58 E. Orange, NJ	Colonia, NJ	Louisville	7-6	4.76	37	13	3	7	109.2	122	41	64										
								St. Louis	0-0	1.64	6	0	0	0	11	8	3	4										
52	Clark, Terry	R	R	6-2	190	10/18/60 Los Angeles, CA	West Covina, CA	Arkansas	6-6	3.21	52	0	0	15	81.1	68	19	63										
34	Cox, Danny	R	R	6-4	230	9/21/59 Northampton, ENG	Warner Robins, GA	St. Pete	2-2	2.53	5	5	2	0	32	26	14	22										
								Arkansas	8-3	2.29	11	11	7	0	86.1	60	24	73										
								Louisville	0-0	2.45	2	2	0	0	11	10	0	8										
								St. Louis	3-6	3.25	12	12	0	0	83	92	23	36										
31	Forsch, Bob	R	R	6-3	215	1/13/50 Sacramento, CA	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis	10-12	4.28	34	30	6	0	187	190	54	56										
35	Hagen, Kevin	R	R	6-2	185	3/8/60 Renton, WA	Auburn, WA	Louisville	6-9	4.32	21	20	8	0	131.1	122	46	60										
								St. Louis	2-2	4.84	9	4	0	0	22.1	34	7	7										
49	Horton, Ricky	L	L	6-2	195	7/30/59 Poughkeepsie, NY	Hyde Park, NY	Louisville	10-6	4.82	30	24	3	0	157	177	58	92										
50	Kepshire, Kurt	L	R	6-1	180	7/3/59 Bridgeport, CT	Seymour, CT	Arkansas	3-2	3.53	19	0	0	4	35.2	35	5	23										
								Louisville	6-2	3.67	21	10	1	0	83.1	88	24	52										
32	Lahti, Jeff	R	R	6-0	180	10/8/56 Oregon City, OR	St. Louis, MO	Louisville	0-0	4.50	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0										
								St. Louis	3-3	3.16	53	0	0	0	74	64	29	26										
39	LaPoint, Dave	L	L	6-3	215	7/29/59 Glens Falls, NY	Chesterfield, MO	St. Louis	12-9	3.95	37	29	1	0	191.1	191	84	113										
40	Owrbey, Rick	R	R	6-3	185	10/20/57 Corona, CA	LaPalma, CA	New York	1-3	4.67	10	4	0	0	34.2	31	21	19										
								Louisville	7-5	3.63	16	15	3	0	104	100	51	77										
36	Rucker, Dave	L	L	6-1	190	9/1/57 San Bernardino, CA	Rialto, CA	Detroit	1-2	17.00	4	3	0	0	9	18	8	6										
								Evansville	2-4	3.34	18	2	0	2	29.2	25	21	30										
								St. Louis	5-3	2.68	34	0	0	0	37	36	18	22										
48	Sluper, John	R	R	6-2	200	5/9/57 Butler, PA	Butler, PA	St. Louis	12-11	3.68	40	30	6	1	198	202	71	81										
42	Sutler, Bruce	R	R	6-2	190	1/8/53 Lancaster, PA	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis	9-10	4.23	60	0	0	21	89.1	90	30	64										
38	Von Ohlen, Dave	L	L	6-2	200	10/25/58 Flushing, NY	College Point, NY	Louisville	1-0	4.70	12	0	0	5	15.1	16	5	13										
								St. Louis	3-2	3.29	46	0	0	2	68.1	71	25	21										
CATCHERS																			AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
11	Brummer, Glenn	R	R	6-0	200	11/23/54 Olney, IL	Maryland Hgts, MO	St. Louis	276	45	87	7	7	0	0	9	1	0	9									
29	Geren, Bob	R	R	6-3	205	9/22/61 San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA	Springfield	265	124	434	67	115	21	3	24	73	0										
23	Nieto, Tom	R	R	6-1	193	10/27/60 Downey, CA	Artesia, CA	Louisville	272	115	383	44	104	17	1	5	52	0										
15	Porter, Darrell	L	R	6-1	202	1/17/52 Joplin, MO	Kansas City, MO	St. Louis	262	145	443	57	116	24	3	15	66	1										
9	Quirk, Jamie	L	R	6-4	200	10/24/54 Whittier, CA	Overland Park, KS	St. Louis	209	48	86	3	18	2	1	2	11	0										
INFELDERS																			284	122	423	64	120	19	6	3	44	26
7	Gonzalez, Jose	S	R	5-10	155	1/21/60 San Cristobal, DR	San Cristobal, DR	Louisville	318	144	529	73	168	33	3	18	97	3										
25	Hendrick, George	R	R	6-3	195	10/18/49 Los Angeles, CA	Diamond Bar, CA	St. Louis	323	89	313	43	101	14	4	2	31	6										
28	Herr, Tommy	S	R	6-0	190	4/4/56 Lancaster, PA	Denver, PA	Arkansas	444	3	9	0	4	3	0	0	1	0										
30	Lyons, Bill	R	R	6-1	175	4/26/58 Alton, IL	Alton, IL	Louisville	271	77	266	60	72	14	1	5	25	21										
								St. Louis	167	42	60	3	10	1	1	0	3	3										
10	Oberkell, Ken	L	R	6-1	185	5/4/56 Highland, IL	Edwardsville, IL	St. Louis	293	151	488	62	143	26	5	3	38	12										
5	Ramsey, Mike	S	R	6-1	175	3/29/54 Roanoke, VA	Maryland Hgts, MO	St. Louis	263	97	175	25	46	4	3	1	16	4										
12	Rayford, Floyd	L	L	6-1	190	9/1/57 San Bernardino, CA	Pomona, CA	Rochester	361	43	144	24	52	16	1	2	38	0										
								St. Louis	212	56	104	5	22	4	0	3	14	1										
1	Smith Ozzie	S	R	5-10	150	12/26/54 Mobile, AL	Town & Country, MO	St. Louis	243	159	552	69	134	30	6	3	50	34										
18	Van Slyke, Andy	L	R	6-1	190	12/21/60 Ulica, NY	Chesterfield, MO	Louisville	368	54	220	52	81	21	4	6	41	13										
								St. Louis	262	101	309	51	81	15	5	8	38	21										
OUTFIELDERS																			281	129	467	81	131	29	7	25	101	3
14	Adduci, Jim	L	L	6-4	200	8/9/59 Chicago, IL	Oak Lawn, IL	Louisville	050	10	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0									
								St. Louis	272	78	92	8	25	2	1	3	7	0										
26	Braun, Steve	L	R	5-10	180	5/8/48 Trenton, NJ	Kansas City, MO	St. Louis	284	146	422	52	120	14	10	8	69	34										
22	Green, David	R	R	6-3	165	12/4/60 Managua, NIC	Managua, NIC	St. Louis	267	58	116	6	31	9	1	0	11	1										
19	Jorg, Dane	L	R	6-0	180	5/1/50 Eureka, CA	Orem, UT	St. Louis	286	147	601	75	172	22	8	5	75	39										
51	McGee, Willie	S	R	6-1	175	11/2/58 San Francisco, CA	Richmond, CA	St. Louis	276	7	29	5	8	1	1	0	2	1										
								Arkansas	321	130	492	83	158	31	5	8	45	43										
27	Smith, Lonnie	R	R	5-9	170	12/22/55 Chicago, IL	Inman, SC	St. Louis	321	130	492	83	158	31	5	8	45	43										

CHICAGO CUBS WRIGLEY FIELD

MANAGER: Jim Frey*(8)

COACHES: Ruben Amaro (5), Billy Connors (3), John Vukovich (2), Don Zimmer (4)

TRAINER: Tony Garofalo

NO.		PITCHERS		B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH		RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO	
45	Banks, Darryl	R	R	6-2	205	6/12/60	Reno, NV	Same		Same	Midland	12-11	5.47	27	27	5	0	163.0	187	71	97	
42	Bordi, Rich	R	R	6-7	220	4/18/59	S. San Francisco, CA	Same		Same	lowa	7-2	4.61	18	17	6	0	111.1	134	21	80	
41	Brussiar, Warren	R	R	6-3	200	2/2/52	Oakland, CA	Belmont Shr., CA			Cubs	0-2	4.97	11	1	0	1	25.1	34	12	20	
39	Campbell, Bill	R	R	6-4	200	8/9/48	Highland Park, MI	Barrington, IL			Cubs	3-1	2.35	59	0	0	1	80.1	67	37	46	
51	Chris, Michael	L	L	6-2	175	10/8/57	Santa Monica, CA	Scottsdale, AZ			Phoenix	3-12	5.77	24	23	0	8	122.1	128	49	97	
31	Jenkins, Fergie	R	R	6-5	210	12/13/43	Chatham, Ontario	Blenheim, Ontario			San Francisco	0-0	8.10	7	0	0	0	13.1	16	16	5	
37	Johnson, Bill	R	R	6-5	205	10/6/60	Wilmington, DE	Same			Cubs	6-9	4.30	33	29	1	0	167.1	176	46	96	
49	Kyles, Stan	R	R	6-1	165	2/26/61	Chicago, IL	Same			Midland	6-6	4.81	45	0	0	13	63.2	76	31	22	
48	Noles, Dickie	R	R	6-2	190	11/19/56	Charlotte, NC	Charlotte, NC			Cubs	1-0	4.38	10	0	0	0	12.1	17	3	4	
52	Patterson, Reggie	L	R	6-4	180	11/7/58	Birmingham, AL	Bessemer, AL			lowa	2-1	3.24	4	4	1	0	155.1	164	67	74	
36	Proly, Mike	R	R	5-10	185	12/15/50	Jamaica, NY	Clearwater, FL			Quad City	0-1	5.25	3	3	0	0	25.0	16	10	9	
30	Rainey, Chuck	R	R	5-11	195	7/14/54	San Diego, CA	Same			Cubs	5-10	4.72	24	18	1	0	116.1	133	37	59	
47	Reuschel, Rick	R	R	6-3	230	5/16/49	Quincy, IL	Arlington Hts, IL			lowa	10-10	5.23	28	28	4	0	172.0	201	84	114	
44	Ruthven, Dick	R	R	6-3	190	3/27/51	Sacramento, CA	Glen Mills, PA			Cubs	1-2	4.82	5	2	0	0	18.2	17	6	10	
43	Schulze, Don	R	R	6-3	215	9/27/62	Roselle, IL	Same			Cubs	1-5	3.58	60	0	0	1	83.0	79	38	31	
46	Smith, Lee	R	R	6-6	220	12/4/57	Jamestown, LA	Castor, LA			Cubs	14-13	4.48	34	34	1	0	191.0	219	74	84	
34	Trout, Steve	L	L	6-4	189	7/30/57	Detroit, MI	Crete, IL			Quad City	3-4	2.42	13	13	0	0	70.2	73	9	56	
34	Sanderson, Scott	R	R	6-5	195	7/22/56	Dearborn, MI	Northbrook, IL			Cubs	1-1	3.92	4	4	0	0	20.2	18	10	9	
7	Davis, Jody	R	R	6-3	210	11/12/56	Gainesville, GA	Same			Phillies	1-3	5.61	7	7	0	0	33.2	46	10	26	
15	Diaz, Mike	R	R	6-2	195	4/15/60	San Francisco, CA	Pacifica, CA			Cubs	12-9	4.17	25	25	5	0	149.1	156	28	73	
16	Lake, Steve	R	R	6-1	180	3/14/57	Inglewood, CA	Glendale, AZ			lowa	11-9	4.27	25	25	7	0	168.2	170	63	103	
1	Bowa Larry	S	R	5-10	155	12/6/45	Sacramento, CA	Seminole, FL			Cubs	0-1	7.07	4	3	0	0	14.0	19	7	8	
22	Buckner, Bill	L	L	6-1	185	12/14/49	Vallejo, CA	Chicago, IL			Cubs	4-10	1.65	66	0	0	29	103.1	70	41	91	
11	Cey, Ron	R	R	5-9	185	2/15/48	Tacoma, WA	Woodland Hills, CA			Cubs	10-14	4.65	34	32	1	0	180.0	217	59	80	
19	Owen, Dave	S	R	6-2	170	4/25/58	Cleburne, TX	Same			lowa	259	38	85	9	22	4	1	1	7	0	
17	Rohn, Dan	L	R	5-7	165	1/10/56	Alpena, MI	Same			Cubs	.091	16	22	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	
23	Sandberg, Ryne	R	R	6-2	180	9/18/59	Spokane, WA	Tempe, AZ			lowa	.315	117	413	84	130	29	5	8	56	23	
29	Verzyer, Tom	R	R	6-1	180	2/11/53	Port Jefferson, NY	Islip, NY			Cubs	.387	23	31	3	12	3	2	0	6	1	
29	Hebner, Richie	L	R	6-1	200	11/26/47	Boston, MA	Walpole, MA			Cubs	.261	158	633	94	165	25	4	8	48	37	
33	Carler, Joe	R	R	6-3	215	3/7/60	Okla, City, OK	Same			Cubs	.205	59	88	5	18	3	0	1	3	0	
28	Cotto, Henry	R	R	6-2	178	1/5/61	Bronx, NY	Caguas, PR			Pittsburgh	.265	78	162	23	43	4	1	5	26	8	
10	Durham, Leon	L	L	6-2	210	7/31/57	Cincinnati, OH	Same			lowa	.307	124	522	82	160	27	6	22	83	40	
27	Hall, Mel	L	L	6-1	185	9/16/60	Lyons, NY	Chicago, IL			Cubs	.176	23	51	6	9	1	1	0	1	0	1
24	Hatcher, Bill	R	R	5-9	175	10/4/60	Williams, AZ	Prescott, AZ			lowa	.261	104	426	52	111	7	10	0	35	32	
21	Johnstone, Jay	L	R	6-1	190	11/20/45	Manchester, CT	San Marino, CA			Cubs	.258	100	337	58	87	18	8	12	55	12	
6	Moreland, Keith	R	R	6-0	200	5/2/54	Dallas, TX	Dallas, TX			Midland	.283	112	410	60	116	23	5	17	50	6	
25	Woods, Gary	R	R	6-2	190	7/20/53	Santa Barbara, CA	Santa Barbara, CA			Cubs	.299	135	545	132	163	33	11	10	80	56	
											Cubs	.257	86	140	16	36	7	0	6	22	1	
											Cubs	.302	154	533	76	161	30	3	16	70	0	
											Cubs	.242	93	190	25	46	9	0	4	22	5	

NEW YORK METS

SHEA STADIUM

MANAGER: Davey Johnson (5)

COACHES: Vern Hoscheit (51), Frank Howard (55), Bill Robinson (9), Mel Stottlemyre (48), Bobby Valentine (22)

TRAINER: Steve Garland

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	AB	R	H	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
46	Bittiger, Jeff	R	R	5-10	175	4/13/62 Jersey City, NJ	Secaucus, NJ	Tidewater	12-10	4.36	28	28	1	0	1	0	163.0	175	111	110
44	Darling, Ron	R	R	6-3	195	8/19/60 Honolulu, HI	Worcester, MA	Tidewater	10-9	4.02	27	27	5	0	0	0	159.0	137	102	107
		R	R					Mets	1-3	2.80	5	5	1	0	0	0	35.1	31	17	23
	Fernandez, Sid	L	L	6-1	220	10/12/62 Honolulu, HI	Honolulu, HI	San Antonio	13-4	2.82	24	24	4	0	0	0	153.0	111	96	209
45	Gaff, Brent	R	R	6-2	200	10/5/58 Fort Wayne, IN	Churubusco, IN	Tidewater	6-7	6.04	37	11	1	5	1	5	111.2	132	43	60
		R	R					Mets	1-0	6.10	4	0	0	0	0	0	10.1	18	1	4
29	Gorman, Tom	L	L	6-4	200	12/16/57 Portland, OR	Woodburn, OR	Tidewater	6-1	2.92	10	8	1	0	0	0	61.2	54	18	58
		R	R					Mets	1-4	4.93	25	4	0	0	0	0	49.1	45	15	30
28	Holman, Scott	R	R	6-0	194	9/18/58 Santa Paula, CA	Camarillo, CA	Mets	1-7	3.74	35	10	0	0	0	0	101.0	90	52	44
38	Leary, Tim	R	R	6-3	190	12/23/58 Santa Monica, CA	Santa Monica, CA	Tidewater	8-16	4.38	27	27	8	0	0	0	160.1	170	73	106
		R	R					Mets	1-1	3.38	2	2	1	0	0	0	10.2	15	4	9
36	Lynch, Ed	R	R	6-5	207	2/25/56 Brooklyn, NY	Miami, FL	Mets	10-10	4.28	30	27	1	0	0	0	174.2	208	41	44
47	Orosco, Jesse	R	L	6-2	185	4/21/57 Santa Barbara, CA	Carpenteria, CA	Mets	13-7	1.47	62	0	0	17	110.0	76	38	84	21	
62	Pickett, Rich	L	L	6-1	190	7/11/59 Crystal Spring, MS	Crystal Spring, MS	Lynchburg	1-0	1.42	17	0	0	0	0	0	19.0	12	9	21
		R	R					Tidewater	1-0	3.98	26	0	0	5	0	0	31.2	31	18	27
39	Sisk, Doug	R	R	6-2	210	9/26/57 Renton, WA	Tacoma, WA	Mets	5-4	2.24	67	0	0	11	104.1	88	59	33	33	
27	Swan, Craig	R	R	6-3	210	11/30/50 Van Nuys, CA	Greenwich, CT	Mets	2-8	5.51	27	18	0	1	0	0	96.1	112	42	43
49	Terrell, Walt	L	R	6-2	205	5/11/58 Jeffersonville, IN	Jeffersonville, IN	Tidewater	10-1	3.12	12	12	5	0	0	0	86.2	76	44	58
		R	R					Mets	8-8	3.57	21	20	4	0	0	0	133.2	123	55	59
30	Torrez, Mike	R	R	6-5	210	8/28/46 Topeka, KS	White Plains, NY	Mets	10-17	4.37	39	34	5	0	0	0	222.1	227	113	94
CATCHERS																				
20	Fitzgerald, Mike	R	R	6-0	185	7/13/60 Long Beach, CA	Lakewood, CA	Tidewater	284	111	370	64	1	105	17	1	14	65	2	2
		R	R					Mets	100	8	20	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
61	Gibbons, John	R	R	5-11	187	6/8/62 Great Falls, MT	San Antonio, TX	Jackson	298	110	373	63	111	25	1	18	67	6	6	6
42	Hodges, Ron	L	R	6-1	187	6/22/49 Franklin Co., VA	Rocky Mt., VA	Mets	260	110	250	20	65	12	0	0	21	0	21	0
34	Ortiz, Junior	R	R	5-11	174	10/24/59 Humacao, PR	Humacao, PR	Pitt-Mets	249	73	193	11	48	5	0	0	0	12	1	1
12	Stearns, John	R	R	6-0	180	8/21/51 Denver, CO	Boulder, CO	Mets	—	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INFELDERS																				
11	Ashford, Tucker	R	R	6-1	185	12/14/54 Memphis, TN	Cordova, TN	Tidewater	327	12	49	8	8	16	3	0	1	8	0	0
		R	R					Mets	179	35	56	3	10	0	1	0	2	0	2	0
6	Backman, Wally	S	R	5-9	160	9/22/59 Hillsboro, OR	Beaverton, OR	Tidewater	316	101	361	69	114	11	3	1	28	37	37	37
		R	R					Mets	167	26	42	6	7	0	0	0	1	0	3	0
7	Brooks, Hubie	R	R	6-0	188	9/24/56 Los Angeles, CA	Compton, CA	Mets	251	150	586	53	147	18	4	5	58	6	6	6
19	Gardner, Ron	R	R	6-0	174	10/24/57 Butzbach, Germany	Wichita, KS	Tidewater	287	102	387	63	111	20	6	4	39	9	9	9
		R	R					Mets	063	17	32	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
23	Giles, Brian	R	R	6-1	162	4/27/60 Manhattan, KS	San Diego, CA	Mets	245	145	400	39	98	15	0	2	27	17	17	17
17	Hernandez, Keith	L	L	6-0	195	10/20/53 San Francisco, CA	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis-Mets	297	150	538	77	160	23	7	12	63	9	9	9
26	Kingman, Dave	R	R	6-6	218	12/21/48 Pendleton, OR	Lake Tahoe, NV	Mets	198	100	248	25	49	7	0	13	29	2	2	2
63	Mitchell, Kevin	R	R	5-10	186	1/13/62 San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA	Jackson	299	120	441	75	132	25	2	15	85	11	11	11
2	Oquendo, Jose	R	R	5-10	156	7/14/63 Rio Piedras, PR	Rio Piedras, PR	Tidewater	118	13	34	3	4	0	0	0	0	3	2	2
		R	R					Mets	213	120	328	29	70	7	0	1	17	8	8	8
21	Rajsich, Gary	L	L	6-2	200	10/28/54 Youngstown, OH	Phoenix, AZ	Tidewater	270	129	430	68	116	15	2	28	83	7	7	7
		R	R					Mets	333	11	36	5	12	3	0	1	3	3	3	3
OUTFIELDERS																				
35	Beane, Billy	R	R	6-4	195	3/29/62 Orlando, FL	Rancho Bernardo, CA	Jackson	246	121	423	53	104	14	1	11	75	5	5	5
58	Blocker, Terry	L	L	6-2	195	8/18/60 Columbia, SC	Memphis, TN	Tidewater	308	66	263	38	81	16	7	3	54	18	18	18
		R	R					Mets	305	72	239	26	73	7	2	2	32	24	24	24
60	Dykstra, Len	L	L	5-10	160	2/10/63 Santa Ana, CA	Garden Grove, CA	Lynchburg	358	136	525	132	188	24	14	8	81	105	105	105
15	Foster, George	R	R	6-1	198	12/1/48 Tuscaloosa, AL	Greenwich, CT	Mets	241	157	601	74	145	19	2	28	90	1	1	1
25	Heep, Danny	L	L	5-11	185	7/3/57 San Antonio, TX	San Antonio, TX	Mets	253	115	253	30	64	12	0	8	21	3	3	3
10	Staub, Rusty	L	R	6-2	225	4/1/44 New Orleans, LA	Houston, TX	Mets	296	104	115	5	34	6	0	3	28	0	0	0
18	Strawberry, Darryl	L	L	6-6	190	3/12/62 Los Angeles, CA	Los Angeles, CA	Tidewater	333	16	57	12	19	4	1	3	13	7	7	7
		R	R					Mets	257	122	420	63	108	15	7	26	74	19	19	19
1	Wilson, Mookie	S	R	5-10	168	2/9/56 Bamberg, SC	Lakewood, NJ	Mets	276	152	638	91	176	25	6	7	51	54	54	54
66	Winningham, Herman	L	R	6-1	170	12/1/61 Orangeburg, SC	Orangeburg, SC	Jackson	354	78	288	54	102	13	6	4	41	17	17	17
		R	R					Tidewater	265	29	113	18	30	5	2	1	11	11	11	11

MANAGER: Tom Lasorda (2)
COACHES: Joe Amalfitano (8), Monty Basgall (54), Mark Cresse (58), Manny Mota (11), Ron Perranoski (29)
TRAINERS: Bill Buhler, Paul Padilla

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ATLANTA BRAVES ATLANTA-FULTON COUNTY STADIUM

MANAGER: Joe Torre (9)

COACHES: Tommie Aaron (23), Bob Gibson (45), Dal Maxvill (53), Joe Pignatano (52), Rube Walker (54)

TRAINER: Dave Pursley

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO	
39	Barker, Len	R	R	6-4	230	7/7/55 Ft. Knox, KY	Medina, OH	Cleveland	8-13	5.11	24	24	4	0	149.2	150	52	105	
32	Bedrosian, Steve	R	R	6-3	195	12/6/57 Methuen, MA	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	1-3	3.82	6	6	0	0	33.0	31	14	21	
48	Brizzolara, Tony	R	R	6-5	217	1/14/57 Santa Monica, CA	Decatur, GA	Richmond	9-10	3.60	21	19	3	0	120.0	100	51	114	
37	Camp, Rick	R	R	6-1	198	6/10/53 Trion, GA	Trion, GA	Atlanta	9-7	3.74	21	19	3	0	127.2	136	44	90	
30	Dayley, Ken	L	L	6-0	171	2/25/59 Jerome, ID	Portland, OR	Atlanta	1-0	3.54	14	0	0	1	20.1	22	6	17	
49	Dedmon, Jeff	L	R	6-2	200	3/4/60 Torrance, CA	Torrance, CA	Atlanta	10-9	3.79	40	16	1	0	140.0	146	38	61	
33	Falcone, Pete	L	L	6-2	205	10/1/53 Brooklyn, NY	Roslyn Heights, NY	Richmond	9-3	3.28	14	14	4	0	90.2	79	49	74	
46	Fisher, Brian	R	R	6-3	210	3/18/62 Honolulu, HI	Aurora, CO	Atlanta	5-8	4.30	24	16	0	0	104.2	100	39	70	
51	Forster, Terry	R	L	6-4	220	1/14/52 Sioux Falls, SD	Dunwoody, GA	Savannah	4-1	2.88	21	0	0	3	50.0	46	16	26	
26	Garber, Gene	R	R	5-10	172	11/13/47 Lancaster, PA	Elizabethtown, PA	Richmond	2-2	1.75	21	0	0	0	36.0	28	14	33	
38	Jones, Craig	R	R	6-2	195	8/19/58 Natrona Heights, PA	Savannah, GA	Atlanta	0-0	13.50	5	0	0	0	4.0	10	0	3	
42	Mahler, Rick	R	R	6-1	202	8/5/53 Austin, TX	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	9-4	3.63	33	15	2	0	106.2	102	60	59	
29	McMurtry, Craig	R	R	6-5	195	11/5/59 Temple, TX	Troy, TX	Savannah	8-11	5.22	27	27	3	0	150.0	172	56	103	
31	Moore, Donnie	L	R	6-0	185	2/13/54 Lubbock, TX	Lubbock, TX	Atlanta	3-2	2.16	56	0	0	13	79.1	60	31	54	
47	Payne, Mike	R	R	5-11	167	11/15/61 Woonsocket, RI	Gainesville, FL	Atlanta	4-5	4.60	43	0	0	9	60.2	72	23	45	
27	Perez, Pascual	R	R	6-2	163	5/17/57 Haina, DR	Santiago, DR	Savannah	11-7	4.59	27	24	7	0	137.1	144	46	106	
43	Walk, Bob	R	R	6-4	203	11/26/56 Van Nuys, CA	Newhall, CA	Richmond	0-1	3.00	1	0	0	0	3.0	2	0	1	
								Atlanta	0-0	5.02	10	0	0	0	14.1	16	9	7	
								Richmond	12-7	4.92	24	24	6	0	162.2	165	85	103	
								Atlanta	15-9	3.08	36	35	6	0	224.2	204	88	105	
								Richmond	0-2	3.24	12	0	0	8	16.2	12	7	9	
								Atlanta	2-3	3.67	43	0	0	6	68.2	72	10	41	
								Savannah	10-7	3.91	25	24	4	0	145.0	144	80	97	
								Atlanta	15-8	3.43	33	33	7	0	215.1	213	51	144	
								Richmond	11-12	5.21	28	28	11	0	185.0	179	102	123	
								Atlanta	0-0	7.36	1	1	0	0	3.2	7	2	4	
NO.	CATCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
20	Benedict, Bruce	R	R	6-1	185	8/18/55 Birmingham, AL	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	298	134	423	43	126	13	1	2	43	1	0
24	Owen, Larry	R	R	5-11	185	5/31/55 Cleveland, OH	Omaha, NE	Atlanta	118	17	17	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
4	Pocoroba, Biff	L	R	5-10	180	7/25/53 Burbank, CA	Stone Mountain, GA	Richmond	417	5	12	4	5	0	1	1	2	0	0
14	Sinatro, Matt	R	R	5-9	179	3/22/60 Hartford, CT	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	267	55	120	11	32	6	0	2	16	0	6
								Richmond	211	110	365	36	77	11	1	4	41	6	6
								Atlanta	167	7	12	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
NO.	INFIELTERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
10	Chambliss, Chris	L	R	6-1	221	12/16/48 Dayton, OH	Atlanta, GA	Atlanta	280	131	447	59	125	24	3	20	78	2	2
5	Horne, Bob	R	R	6-1	210	8/6/57 Junction City, KS	Dunwoody, GA	Atlanta	303	104	386	75	117	25	1	20	68	4	4
17	Hubbard, Glenn	R	R	5-8	169	9/25/57 Hahn AFB, Germany	Snellville, GA	Atlanta	263	148	517	65	136	24	6	12	70	3	3
6	Johnson, Randy	R	R	6-1	190	6/10/56 Escondido, CA	Escondido, CA	Atlanta	250	86	144	22	36	3	0	1	17	1	1
11	Jorgensen, Mike	L	L	6-0	187	8/16/48 Passaic, NJ	Arlington, TX	New York (NL)	250	38	24	5	6	3	0	1	3	0	0
28	Perry, Gerald	L	R	5-11	180	10/30/60 Savannah, GA	Hilton Head, SC	Atlanta	250	57	48	5	12	1	0	1	8	0	0
16	Ramirez, Rafael	R	R	6-0	185	2/18/59 San Pedro, DR	(Same)	Richmond	314	113	423	81	133	21	8	13	71	26	26
1	Royster, Jerry	R	R	6-0	165	10/18/52 Sacramento, CA	Alpharetta, GA	Atlanta	359	27	39	5	14	2	0	1	6	0	0
12	Runge, Paul	R	R	6-0	175	5/21/58 Kingston, NY	Kingston, NY	Atlanta	297	152	622	82	185	13	5	7	58	16	16
22	Sosa, Miguel	R	R	5-10	165	5/15/60 La Romana, DR	La Romana, DR	Atlanta	235	91	268	32	63	10	3	3	30	11	11
8	Watson, Bob	R	R	6-2	200	4/10/46 Los Angeles, CA	Atlanta, GA	Richmond	273	137	472	76	129	17	4	15	72	6	6
18	Zuvella, Paul	R	R	6-0	175	10/31/58 San Mateo, CA	Milpitas, CA	Atlanta	250	5	8	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
								Savannah	245	125	525	54	120	16	0	17	93	26	26
								Richmond	333	2	9	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
								Atlanta	309	65	149	14	46	9	0	6	37	0	0
								Richmond	287	117	455	53	119	13	2	6	64	4	4
								Atlanta	000	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NO.	OUTFIELDERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB
2	Hall, Albert	R	R	5-11	155	3/7/59 Birmingham, AL	Birmingham, AL	Richmond	294	130	521	120	153	28	11	1	42	46	46
19	Harper, Terry	R	R	6-1	202	8/19/55 Douglasville, GA	College Park, GA	Atlanta	000	10	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
7	Kommink, Brad	R	R	6-2	205	4/4/61 Lima, OH	Lima, OH	Atlanta	264	80	201	19	53	13	1	3	26	6	6
3	Murphy, Dale	R	R	6-5	215	3/12/56 Portland, OR	Lawrenceville, GA	Richmond	334	117	413	94	138	24	6	24	103	26	26
40	Vargas, Leo	R	R	6-1	180	9/12/57 San Pedro, DR	(Same)	Atlanta	222	19	36	2	8	2	0	0	4	0	0
5	Washington, Claudell	L	L	6-0	195	8/31/54 Los Angeles, CA	Orinda, CA	Atlanta	302	162	589	131	178	24	4	36	121	30	30
								Richmond	289	112	408	69	118	19	1	19	75	9	9
								Atlanta	278	134	496	75	138	24	8	9	44	31	31

HOUSTON ASTROS

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MANAGER: Bob Lillis (5)

COACHES: Cot Deal (2), Don Leppert (43), Denis Menke (15), Jerry Walker (54), Les Moss (55)

TRAINER: Dave LaBossiere

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
46	Dawley, Bill	R	R	6-4	240	2/6/58 Norwich, CT	Lisbon, CT	Houston	6-6	2.82	48	0	0	14	79.2	51	22	60
31	DiPino, Frank	L	L	6-0	180	10/22/56 Syracuse, NY	San Jose, CA	Houston	3-4	2.65	53	0	0	20	71.1	52	20	67
11	Heathcock, Jeff	R	R	6-4	195	11/18/59 Covina, CA	Westminster, CA	Tucson	10-3	2.77	15	15	5	0	110.1	104	26	65
39	Knepper, Bob	L	L	6-2	210	5/25/54 Akron, OH	Roseburg, OR	Houston	2-1	3.21	6	3	0	1	28.0	19	4	12
51	LaCoss, Mike	R	R	6-4	190	5/30/56 Glendale, CA	Statesboro, GA	Houston	6-13	3.19	35	29	4	0	203.0	202	71	125
53	Madden, Mike	L	L	6-1	190	1/13/58 Denver, CO	Denver, CO	Tucson	5-7	4.43	38	17	2	1	138.0	142	56	53
									1-1	3.68	4	4	0	0	22.0	25	8	15
									9-5	3.14	28	13	0	0	94.2	76	45	44
36	Mathis, Ron	R	R	6-0	180	9/15/58 Kansas City, MO	St. Louis, MO	Tucson	11-13	4.34	28	28	8	0	182.2	179	72	137
									15-14	3.48	38	38	9	0	263.2	212	105	128
49	Niekro, Joe	R	R	6-1	195	11/7/44 Martins Ferry, OH	Lakeland, FL	Houston	15-14	3.48	38	38	9	0	263.2	212	105	128
									5-3	4.03	8	8	0	0	44.2	46	18	29
48	Ruhle, Vern	R	R	6-1	195	1/25/51 de Marcoris, DR	de Marcoris, DR	Daytona Bch	7-6	5.79	23	16	1	0	107.1	106	72	63
34	Ryan, Nolan	R	R	6-2	210	1/31/47 Coleman, MI	Houston, TX	Columbus	8-5	3.69	41	9	0	3	114.2	107	36	43
35	Sambito, Joe	L	L	6-1	190	6/28/52 Refugio, TX	Alvin, TX	Houston	14-9	2.98	29	29	5	0	196.1	134	101	183
33	Scott, Mike	R	R	6-3	215	4/26/55 Brooklyn, NY	Seminole, FL	Houston	10-6	3.72	24	24	2	0	145.0	143	46	73
45	Smith, Dave	R	R	6-1	195	1/21/55 Santa Monica, CA	Chandler, AZ	Houston	3-1	3.10	42	0	0	6	72.2	72	36	41
52	Solano, Julio	R	R	6-1	160	1/8/60 San Francisco, CA	Del Mar, CA	Houston	10-7	4.95	29	24	2	1	161.2	183	71	123
									0-2	6.00	4	0	0	0	6.0	5	4	3
									no record-did not play									
									10-6	3.72	24	24	2	0	145.0	143	46	73
									3-1	3.10	42	0	0	6	72.2	72	36	41
									10-7	4.95	29	24	2	1	161.2	183	71	123
									0-2	6.00	4	0	0	0	6.0	5	4	3
CATCHERS																		
14	Asby, Alan	S	R	6-2	195	7/8/51 Long Beach, CA	Sugarland, TX	Houston	229	87	275	31	58	18	1	8	34	0
20	Bjorkman, George	R	R	6-2	190	8/26/56 Ontario, CA	Ontario, CA	Columbus	252	70	230	36	63	16	3	12	36	3
									228	17	57	7	13	5	0	0	4	0
4	Mizerock, John	L	R	5-11	190	12/8/60 Punsutawney, PA	Rochester Mills, PA	Houston	227	29	75	8	17	4	0	2	14	0
									261	53	176	18	46	12	2	5	31	1
6	Pujols, Luis	R	R	6-1	205	11/18/55 Santiago, PR	Houston, TX	Houston	153	33	85	8	13	4	1	1	10	0
									250	33	112	18	28	7	0	1	9	0
									195	40	87	4	17	2	0	0	12	0
INFELDERS																		
7	Clements, Wes	R	R	6-4	195	5/26/58 Inglewood, CA	Riverside, CA	Tucson	256	132	480	83	123	38	5	20	89	2
									299	118	445	68	133	19	3	25	85	4
									211	15	7	5	12	3	0	1	8	1
19	Doran, Bill	S	R	6-0	175	5/28/58 Cincinnati, OH	Hamilton, OH	Houston	271	154	535	70	145	12	7	8	39	12
3	Garner, Phil	R	R	5-10	175	4/30/49 Jefferson City, TN	Kingwood, TX	Houston	238	154	567	76	135	24	2	14	79	18
22	Knight, Ray	R	R	6-2	195	12/18/52 Albany, GA	Albany, GA	Houston	304	145	507	43	154	36	4	9	70	0
1	Pena, Bert	R	R	5-11	165	7/11/59 Santurce, PR	Caguas, PR	Tucson	246	112	382	45	94	21	3	5	63	2
									125	4	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
12	Reynolds, Craig	L	R	6-1	175	12/17/52 Houston, TX	Houston, TX	Houston	214	65	98	10	21	3	0	1	6	1
16	Spilman, Harry	L	R	6-1	190	7/18/54 Albany, GA	Dawson, GA	Houston	167	42	78	7	13	3	0	1	9	0
10	Thon, Dickie	R	R	5-11	175	6/20/58 South Bend, IN	Rio Piedras, PR	Houston	286	154	619	81	177	28	9	20	79	34
OUTFIELDERS																		
17	Bass, Kevin	S	R	6-0	180	5/12/59 Redwood City, CA	Menlo Park, CA	Houston	236	88	195	25	46	46	7	3	2	18
9	Bullock, Eric	L	L	5-11	185	2/16/60 Los Angeles, CA	Carson, CA	Columbus	276	130	475	65	131	15	6	9	59	35
25	Cruz, Jose	L	L	6-0	185	8/8/47 Arroyo, PR	Arroyo, PR	Houston	318	160	594	85	189	28	8	14	92	30
23	Gainey, Ty	R	L	6-1	190	12/25/60 Cheraw, SC	Cheraw, SC	Columbus	287	110	397	65	107	15	1	9	43	24
26	Loucks, Scott	R	R	6-0	180	11/11/56 Anchorage, AK	Sierra Vista, AZ	Tucson	280	138	541	107	155	33	13	8	58	71
									214	7	14	2	3	0	0	0	2	2
28	Mumphrey, Jerry	S	R	6-2	200	9/9/52 Tyler, TX	Tyler, TX	Houston	366	83	267	41	70	11	4	7	36	2
									336	44	143	17	48	10	2	1	17	5
21	Puhl, Terry	L	R	6-2	200	7/8/56 Melville, Sask	Missouri City, TX	Houston	292	137	465	66	136	25	7	8	44	24
									279	50	172	30	48	10	5	5	33	9
20	Robles, Ruben	R	R	6-2	210	8/13/59 Santo Domingo, DR	Santo Domingo, DR	Tucson	226	80	186	20	42	6	1	2	17	5
									375	7	24	4	9	2	0	1	6	0
38	Scott, Tony	S	R	6-0	195	9/18/51 Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Houston	196	43	56	4	11	4	0	2	10	0
									296	100	135	24	40	5	3	3	19	2
29	Tolman, Tim	R	R	6-0	195	4/20/56 Santa Monica, CA	Santa Monica, CA	Tucson	196	43	56	4	11	4	0	2	10	0
									296	100	135	24	40	5	3	3	19	2
29	Walling, Denny	L	R	6-1	185	4/17/54 Neptune, NJ	Waynesboro, VA	Houston	236	88	195	25	46	46	7	3	2	18

SAN DIEGO PADRES

SAN DIEGO JACK MURPHY STADIUM

MANAGER: Dick Williams (23)

COACHES: Harry Dunlop (33), Jack Krol (34), Norm Sherry (46), Ozzie Virgil (32)

TRAINER: Dick Dent

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
51	Booker, Greg	R	R	6-6	230	6/22/60 Lynchburg, VA	Burlington, N.C.	Las Vegas	5-6	5.45	46	6	0	1	102.1	120	68	58
39	Chiffer, Floyd	R	R	6-2	180	4/20/56 L. Island City, NY	Lakewood, CA	San Diego	0-1	7.71	6	1	0	0	11.2	18	9	5
49	Couchee, Mike	R	R	6-0	190	12/4/57 San Jose, CA	Los Gatos, CA	Las Vegas	0-2	3.18	15	0	0	1	22.2	17	10	15
44	Decker, Marty	R	R	5-10	168	6/7/57 Upland, CA	Yuma, AZ	San Diego	10-4	3.22	42	0	0	14	78.1	74	33	62
35	DeLeon, Luis	R	R	6-1	155	8/19/58 Ponce, PR	San Diego, CA	San Diego	0-1	5.14	8	0	0	0	14.0	12	6	5
43	Dravecky, Dave	R	L	6-1	195	2/14/56 Youngstown, Ohio	San Diego, CA	Portland	2-0	4.05	19	0	0	4	26.2	39	6	25
40	Gossage, Rich	R	R	6-3	215	7/5/51 Colorado Springs, CO	Colorado Springs, CO	San Diego	8-3	6.66	58	0	0	3	96.0	106	65	102
38	Lefferts, Craig	R	L	6-1	180	9/29/57 Munich, Germany	Tucson, AZ	San Diego	0-0	2.08	4	0	0	0	8.2	5	3	9
40	Hawkins, Andy	R	R	6-4	200	1/21/60 Waco, TX	Waco, TX	San Diego	6-6	2.88	63	0	0	13	111.0	89	27	90
48	Lollar, Tim	L	L	6-3	195	3/17/56 Poplar Bluff, MO	San Diego, CA	San Diego	14-10	3.58	28	28	9	0	183.2	181	44	74
42	Monge, Sid	S	L	6-2	200	4/11/51 Agua Prieta, Mex.	San Diego, CA	Yankees	13-5	2.27	57	0	0	22	87.1	82	25	90
27	Rasmussen, Dennis	L	L	6-7	230	4/18/59 Los Angeles, CA	Omaha, Neb.	Cubs	3-4	3.13	56	5	0	1	89.0	80	29	60
30	Show, Eric	R	R	6-1	185	5/19/56 Riverside, CA	San Diego, CA	Las Vegas	6-4	6.43	14	14	4	0	85.1	110	27	50
38	Thurmond, Mark	L	L	6-0	180	9/12/56 Houston, TX	Houston, TX	San Diego	7-12	4.61	31	30	1	0	175.2	106	48	59
31	Whitson, Ed	R	R	6-3	200	5/19/55 Johnson City, TN	Columbus, OH	Philadelphia	3-0	6.94	14	0	0	0	11.2	20	6	7
62	Wojna, Ed	R	R	6-1	185	8/20/60 Bridgeport, CT	Monroe, CT	San Diego	8-3	3.15	47	0	0	7	68.2	65	31	32
CATCHERS																		
15	Bochy, Bruce	R	R	6-4	210	4/16/55 Landes de Boussac, France	Melbourne, FL	Columbus	13-10	4.57	28	28	8	0	181.0	161	108	187
10	Gwosdz, Doug	R	R	5-11	180	6/20/60 Houston, TX	Houston, TX	San Diego	0-0	1.98	4	1	0	0	13.2	10	8	13
16	Kennedy, Terry	L	R	6-4	220	6/4/56 Euclid, OH	San Diego, CA	Las Vegas	15-12	4.17	35	33	4	0	200.2	201	74	120
5	Tingley, Ron	R	R	6-2	160	5/27/59 Presque Isle, MD	Cheney, KS	San Diego	6-1	3.29	19	6	1	4	63.0	63	24	38
INFIELDERS																		
7	Bevacqua, Kurt	R	R	6-2	194	1/23/47 Miami, FL	El Cajon, CA	San Diego	7-3	2.65	21	18	2	0	115.1	104	33	49
3	Bonilla, Juan	R	R	5-9	170	2/12/56 Santurce, PR	Quincy, FL	Las Vegas	5-7	2.93	21	19	4	0	144.1	143	50	81
11	Flannery, Tim	L	R	5-11	170	9/29/57 Tulsa, OK	Encinitas, CA	San Diego	0-0	1.98	4	1	0	0	13.2	10	8	13
6	Garvey, Steve	R	R	5-10	190	12/22/48 Tampa, FL	La Jolla, CA	San Diego	15-12	4.17	35	33	4	0	200.2	201	74	120
57	Guillen, Ozzie	S	S	5-11	150	1/20/64 Oculare del Tuy, Ven	Miranda, Ven	San Diego	7-3	2.65	21	18	2	0	115.1	104	33	49
22	Hinshaw, George	R	R	6-0	185	10/23/59 Los Angeles, CA	Los Angeles, CA	San Diego	5-7	4.30	31	21	2	1	144.1	143	50	81
21	Lansford, Joe	R	R	6-5	225	1/15/61 San Jose, CA	Santa Clara, CA	Las Vegas	1-0	6.75	3	3	0	0	12.0	15	5	11
12	Ramirez, Mario	R	R	5-9	160	9/12/57 Yauco, PR	Yauco, PR	San Diego	438	7	16	1	0	0	0	0	4	1
	Martinez, Carmelo	R	R	6-1	190	7/28/60 Dorado, PR	Dorado, PR	San Diego	254	140	528	111	134	23	4	27	116	10
36	Rodriguez, Edwin	R	R	5-11	175	8/14/60 Ponce, PR	Ponce, PR	San Diego	250	12	8	1	0	0	1	2	0	0
4	Salazar, Luis	R	R	6-0	185	5/19/56 Barcelona, Ven	Guarenas, Ven	San Diego	222	16	54	7	12	2	2	1	8	0
1	Templeton, Garry	S	R	6-0	180	3/24/56 Lockett, TX	Villa Park, CA	San Diego	196	55	107	11	21	6	3	0	12	0
OUTFIELDERS																		
20	Brown, Bobby	S	R	6-1	207	5/24/54 Turbeville, VA	Hampton, VA	San Diego	251	123	458	76	115	25	1	31	94	8
50	Davis, Jerry	R	R	6-0	185	12/25/58 Trenton, NJ	Trenton, NJ	San Diego	288	29	89	8	23	3	0	6	16	0
19	Gwynn, Tony	L	L	5-11	185	5/9/60 Los Angeles, CA	Long Beach, CA	San Diego	112	477	73	98	7	8	2	52	12	12
18	McReynolds, Kevin	R	R	6-0	205	10/16/59 Little Rock, AR	No. Little Rock, AR	San Diego	167	7	12	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
2	Wiggins, Alan	S	R	6-2	165	2/17/58 Los Angeles, CA	San Diego, CA	San Diego	258	134	481	52	124	16	2	14	45	24
	Summers, Champ	L	R	6-2	205	6/15/48 Bremerton, WA	Foster City, CA	San Diego	263	126	460	39	121	20	2	3	40	16
								Las Vegas	331	97	405	85	134	27	7	15	70	44
								San Diego	267	57	225	40	60	5	3	5	22	27
								Las Vegas	298	139	503	113	150	29	8	23	100	11
								San Diego	333	5	15	3	5	2	0	0	1	1
								San Diego	342	17	73	15	25	6	0	0	7	3
								San Diego	309	86	304	34	94	12	2	1	37	7
								Las Vegas	377	113	446	98	168	46	9	32	116	14
								San Diego	221	39	140	15	31	3	1	4	14	2
								San Diego	276	144	503	83	139	20	2	0	22	66
								San Francisco	136	29	23	3	3	0	0	0	0	3

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS

CANDLESTICK PARK

MANAGER: Frank Robinson (20)

COACHES: Don Buford (9), Tom McCraw (12), Danny Ozark (1), Herm Starrette (23), John Van Ornum (42)

TRAINERS: Perry Archibald, Gary Iacini

NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
48	Breining, Fred	R	R	6-4	185	11/15/55 San Francisco, CA	Redwood City, CA	Giants	11-12	3.82	32	32	6	0	202.2	202	60	117
32	Calvert, Mark	R	R	6-1	195	9/29/56 Tulsa, OK	Broken Arrow, OK	Phoenix	4-5	5.88	14	14	2	0	86.1	115	31	33
13	Davis, Mark	L	L	6-4	195	10/19/60 Livermore, CA	Foster City, CA	Giants	1-4	6.27	18	4	0	0	37.1	46	34	14
54	Fowlkes, Alan	R	R	6-2	190	8/8/58 Brawley, CA	Chandler, AZ	Phoenix	6-3	6.32	13	13	1	0	73.0	89	33	64
50	Garrelis, Scott	R	R	6-4	195	10/30/61 Urbana, IL	Bukley, IL	Phoenix	9-11	6.51	27	20	2	0	111.0	93	50	83
43	Grant, Mark	R	R	6-2	195	10/24/63 Aurora, IL	Joliet, IL	Phoenix	5-5	4.61	21	20	2	0	98.0	86	81	89
14	Hammaker, Altee	L	L	6-2	195	10/24/63 Aurora, IL	Joliet, IL	Giants	2-2	2.52	5	5	1	0	35.2	33	19	16
39	Krukow, Mike	R	R	6-4	205	1/24/58 Carmel, CA	Lenoir City, TN	Shrvt	10-8	3.66	26	26	7	0	187.1	182	71	159
19	Laskey, Bill	R	R	6-5	190	1/21/52 Long Beach, CA	Pasadena, CA	Giants	10-9	2.25	23	23	8	0	172.1	147	32	127
46	Lavelle, Gary	R	R	6-1	200	12/20/57 Toledo, OH	Toledo, OH	Giants	11-11	3.95	31	31	2	0	184.1	189	76	136
29	Lerch, Randy	L	L	6-3	195	10/9/54 Sacramento, CA	Placerville, CA	Giants	13-10	4.19	25	25	1	0	148.1	151	45	81
17	Martin, Renie	R	R	6-4	185	8/30/55 Dover, DE	Overland Park, KS	Giants	7-4	2.59	56	0	0	20	87.0	73	19	68
28	McGaffigan, Andy	R	R	6-3	190	10/25/56 W. Palm Beach, FL	Plantation, FL	Montreal	1-2	6.75	19	5	0	0	38.2	45	18	24
38	Minton, Greg	S	R	6-2	190	7/29/51 Lubbock, TX	San Ramon, CA	Phoenix	0-0	3.24	5	0	0	0	8.1	8	3	7
47	Williams, Frank	R	R	6-1	180	2/13/58 Seattle, WA	Lewiston, ID	Giants	1-0	3.38	7	0	0	0	10.2	9	8	6
15	Brenley, Bob	R	R	6-2	210	2/25/54 Coshocton, OH	Coshocton, OH	Giants	2-4	4.20	37	6	0	1	94.1	95	51	43
37	Gomez, Randy	R	R	5-10	185	2/4/58 San Mateo, CA	San Carlos, CA	Giants	3-9	4.29	43	16	0	2	134.1	131	31	93
7	Nicosia, Steve	R	R	5-10	185	8/6/55 Paterson, NJ	Pembroke Pines, FL	Giants	7-11	3.54	73	0	0	22	106.2	117	47	38
51	Nokes, Matt	L	R	6-1	185	10/31/63 San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA	Shrvt	7-2	1.71	21	0	0	2	42.0	22	25	54
5	Rabb, John	R	R	6-1	180	6/23/60 Los Angeles, CA	Los Angeles, CA	Phoenix	5-3	3.59	25	0	0	6	48.1	22	24	37
34	Ransom, Jeff	R	R	5-11	175	11/11/60 Fresno, CA	Berkeley, CA	Giants	226	102	288	43	65	13	1	7	37	8
16	Bergman, Dave	L	L	6-2	180	6/6/53 Evanston, IL	Arlington Hts, IL	Giants	200	6	20	3	4	0	0	1	3	0
52	Brown, Chris	R	R	6-0	185	8/15/61 Jackson, MS	Los Angeles, CA	Giants	286	90	140	16	40	4	1	6	24	2
18	Kuiper, Duane	L	R	6-0	175	6/19/50 Racine, WI	Willoughby, OH	Shrvt	273	102	322	44	88	21	0	10	58	19
10	LeMaster, Johnnie	R	R	6-2	180	6/19/54 Portsmouth, OH	Foster City, CA	Giants	250	72	176	14	44	2	2	0	14	0
35	O'Malley, Tom	L	R	6-0	180	12/25/60 Orange, NJ	Foster City, CA	Giants	240	141	534	81	128	16	1	6	30	39
2	Pettini, Joe	R	R	5-9	165	1/26/55 Wheeling, WV	Montoursville, PA	Giants	259	135	410	40	106	16	1	5	45	2
21	Sularz, Guy	R	R	5-11	165	11/7/55 Minneapolis, MN	Windsor Hts, WV	Giants	186	61	86	11	16	0	1	0	7	4
36	Wellman, Brad	R	R	6-0	170	8/17/59 Lodi, CA	Woodland Hills, CA	Phoenix	316	134	484	76	153	23	7	5	58	14
16	Bergman, Dave	L	L	6-2	180	6/6/53 Evanston, IL	Arlington Hts, IL	Giants	100	10	20	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
52	Brown, Chris	R	R	6-0	185	8/15/61 Jackson, MS	Los Angeles, CA	Giants	311	45	167	32	52	6	4	2	28	8
18	Kuiper, Duane	L	R	6-0	175	6/19/50 Racine, WI	Willoughby, OH	Phoenix	214	82	182	15	39	3	0	1	16	5
10	LeMaster, Johnnie	R	R	6-2	180	6/19/54 Portsmouth, OH	Foster City, CA	Giants	282	129	550	92	155	27	7	3	52	38
35	O'Malley, Tom	L	R	6-0	180	12/25/60 Orange, NJ	Montoursville, PA	Las Vegas	272	89	320	33	87	13	1	1	29	1
2	Pettini, Joe	R	R	5-9	165	1/26/55 Wheeling, WV	Windsor Hts, WV	Cleveland	264	31	121	16	32	8	0	2	16	0
21	Sularz, Guy	R	R	5-11	165	11/7/55 Minneapolis, MN	Woodland Hills, CA	Montreal	264	31	121	16	32	8	0	2	16	0
36	Wellman, Brad	R	R	6-0	170	8/17/59 Lodi, CA	Castro Valley, CA	Giants	100	10	20	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
16	Bergman, Dave	L	L	6-2	180	6/6/53 Evanston, IL	Arlington Hts, IL	Giants	311	45	167	32	52	6	4	2	28	8
52	Brown, Chris	R	R	6-0	185	8/15/61 Jackson, MS	Los Angeles, CA	Phoenix	214	82	182	15	39	3	0	1	16	5
18	Kuiper, Duane	L	R	6-0	175	6/19/50 Racine, WI	Willoughby, OH	Giants	282	129	550	92	155	27	7	3	52	38
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35	O'Malley, Tom	L	R	6-0	180	12/25/60 Orange, NJ	Montoursville, PA	Cleveland	264	31	121	16	32	8	0	2	16	0
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NO.	PITCHERS	B	T	HT.	WT.	DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE	1983 CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
38	Berens, Bruce	R	R	6-3	215	8/21/54 Bryan, OH	Sherwood, OH	Cincinnati	9-14	3.86	32	31	4	0	186.1	173	102	151
52	Franco, John	L	L	5-10	170	9/17/60 Brooklyn, NY	Brooklyn, NY	Albuquerque	0-0	5.40	11	0	0	0	15.0	10	11	8
45	Hayes, Ben	R	R	6-1	180	8/4/57 Niagara Falls, NY	St. Petersburg, FL	Indianapolis	6-10	4.85	23	18	2	2	115.2	148	42	54
43	Heidenreich, Curt	R	R	6-6	255	7/14/59 Woodstock, IL	Crystal Lake, IL	Cincinnati	2-0	4.70	6	0	0	0	7.2	4	4	4
47	Hume, Tom	R	R	6-1	185	3/29/53 Cincinnati, OH	Palmetto, FL	Indianapolis	11-4	1.73	7	17	8	0	119.1	84	56	98
50	Lesley, Brad	R	R	6-6	230	9/11/58 Turlock, CA	Turlock, CA	Indianapolis	3-3	4.57	7	7	2	0	41.1	45	16	23
44	Owchinko, Bob	L	L	6-2	195	1/1/55 Detroit, MI	Phoenix, AZ	Cincinnati	3-1	2.55	13	0	0	0	17.2	11	5	19
35	Pastore, Frank	R	R	6-3	205	8/21/57 Alhambra, CA	Upland, CA	Hawaii	0-0	2.16	5	0	0	0	8.1	9	0	5
48	Power, Ted	R	R	6-4	220	1/31/55 Guthrie, OK	Abilene, KS	Cincinnati	10-6	4.25	22	21	3	0	137.2	150	56	124
49	Price, Joe	R	R	6-4	210	11/29/56 Inglewood, CA	Arlington, TX	Cincinnati	9-12	4.88	36	29	4	0	184.1	207	64	93
25	Puleo, Charlie	R	R	6-3	200	2/7/55 Bloomfield, NJ	Bradenton, FL	Cincinnati	5-6	4.54	49	6	1	2	111.0	120	49	57
58	Robinson, Ron	R	R	6-4	200	3/24/62 Exeter, CA	Woodlake, CA	Cincinnati	10-6	2.88	21	21	5	0	144.0	118	46	83
46	Russell, Jeff	R	R	6-4	200	9/2/61 Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Waterbury	6-12	4.89	27	24	0	0	143.2	145	91	71
34	Scherrer, Bill	L	L	6-4	170	1/20/58 Tonawanda, NY	Cincinnati, OH	Waterbury	7-9	3.60	20	20	6	0	142.2	132	60	82
53	Smith, Mike	R	R	6-0	175	2/23/61 Jackson, MS	Jackson, MS	Indianapolis	4-0	3.23	4	4	2	0	30.2	22	7	20
36	Soto, Mario	R	R	6-0	185	7/12/56 Bani, Dom. Rep.	Santo Domingo, DR	Cincinnati	5-5	3.55	18	17	5	1	119.0	106	44	98
59	Toliver, Fred	R	R	6-1	165	2/3/61 Natchez, MS	Highland, CA	Cincinnati	4-5	3.03	10	10	2	0	68.1	58	22	40
11	Blardello, Dann	R	R	6-0	185	5/26/59 Santa Cruz, CA	Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati	2-3	2.74	73	0	0	0	92.0	73	33	57
23	Guiden, Brad	L	R	5-11	175	6/10/56 New Ulm, MN	Carver, MN	Waterbury	2-5	2.83	22	0	0	7	28.2	18	25	16
29	Trevino, Alex	R	R	5-11	170	8/26/57 Monterrey, Mex.	New York, NY	Cincinnati	17-13	2.70	34	34	18	0	273.2	207	95	242
23	Van Gorder, Dave	R	R	6-2	205	3/27/57 Los Angeles, CA	Bellevue, KY	Indianapolis	8-10	4.54	26	26	6	0	166.2	151	110	112
15	Barnes, Skeeter	R	R	5-11	175	3/3/57 Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Indianapolis	337	109	377	67	127	19	6	7	56	10
13	Concepcion, Dave	R	R	6-1	180	6/17/48 Aragua, Venez.	Maracay, Venez.	Cincinnati	206	15	34	5	7	0	0	1	4	2
22	Dressen, Dan	L	R	5-11	200	7/29/51 Hilton Head, SC	Hilton Head, SC	Cincinnati	233	143	528	54	123	22	0	1	47	14
12	Esasky, Nick	R	R	6-3	200	2/24/60 Haleah, FL	Manetta, GA	Cincinnati	277	122	386	57	102	17	1	12	57	6
10	Foley, Tom	L	R	6-1	175	9/9/59 Columbus, GA	Miami, FL	Indianapolis	278	49	158	33	44	5	0	14	37	6
17	Krenchicki, Wayne	L	R	6-1	175	9/17/54 Trenton, NJ	Trenton, NJ	Cincinnati	265	85	302	41	80	10	5	12	46	6
51	Lawless, Tom	R	R	5-11	170	12/19/56 Erie, PA	Erie, PA	Cincinnati	204	68	98	7	20	4	1	0	9	1
16	Oester, Ron	B	R	6-2	190	5/5/56 Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati	273	51	77	6	21	2	0	0	11	0
56	Rowdon, Wade	R	R	6-2	170	9/7/60 Riverhead, NY	Miami, FL	Detroit	278	59	133	18	37	7	0	1	16	0
24	Perez, Tony	R	R	6-2	210	5/14/42 Camaguey, Cuba	Santurce, PR	Indianapolis	279	115	423	93	118	23	3	13	35	46
28	Cedeno, Cesar	R	R	6-2	195	2/25/51 Santo Domingo, DR	Houston, TX	Cincinnati	284	157	549	63	145	23	5	11	58	2
55	Davis, Eric	R	R	6-2	165	5/29/62 Los Angeles, CA	Los Angeles, CA	Waterbury	233	135	480	62	112	29	1	21	76	6
21	Householder, Paul	B	R	6-0	185	9/4/58 Columbus, OH	Fairfield, OH	Philadelphia	241	91	253	18	61	11	2	6	43	1
20	Milner, Eddie	L	L	5-11	170	5/21/55 Columbus, OH	Columbus, OH	Cincinnati	278	121	413	62	115	23	7	8	51	20
57	O'Neill, Paul	L	L	6-4	200	2/29/63 Columbus, OH	Columbus, OH	Waterbury	279	14	43	6	12	0	0	0	6	2
2	Redus, Gary	R	R	6-1	180	11/1/56 Limestone Co., AL	Courtland, AL	Cincinnati	247	125	453	90	112	20	9	17	51	39
26	Walker, Duane	L	L	6-0	185	3/13/57 Pasadena, TX	Pasadena, TX	Cincinnati	236	109	225	14	53	12	1	2	29	6
30	Williams, Dallas	L	L	5-11	170	2/28/58 Brooklyn, NY	Rochester, NY	Indianapolis	328	132	512	75	168	30	8	11	75	14
39	Parker Dave	L	R	6-5	230	6/9/51 Jackson, MS	Pittsburgh, PA	Cincinnati	056	18	36	2	2	0	0	0	1	0
								Pittsburgh	279	144	552	68	154	29	4	12	69	12



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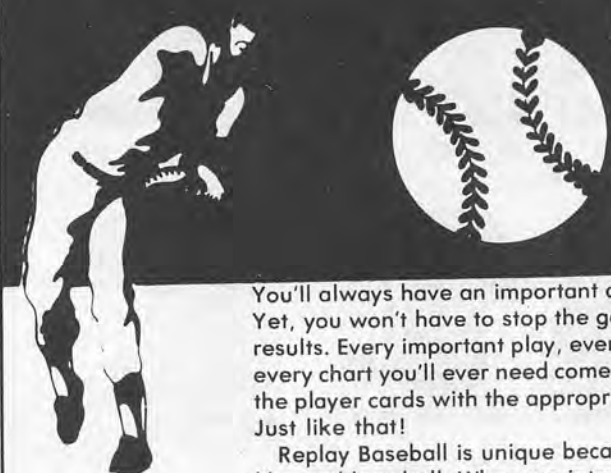
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SEATTLE	May 7-8, 9 Aug. 3(2), 4, 5	April 27-28, 29, 30 July 23-24, 25	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 4-5, 6, 7 Sept. 7-8, 9	April 13-14, 15 July 30-31 Aug. 1	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 21, 22, 23	April 20-21, 22 July 2-3, 4	May 14-15, 16 Aug. 17-18, 19	June 8-9, 10(2) Sept. 25-26	April 23-24 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 20-21, 22	May 11-12, 13 Aug. 14-15, 16	April 25-26 June 28-29, 30 July 1
OAKLAND	April 16-17, 18 July 27-28, 29	May 1-2 Aug. 9-10, 11, 12	June 8-9, 10, 11 Sept. 24-25, 26	June 8-9, 10, 11 Sept. 24-25, 26	June 25-26(2), 27 Sept. 21, 22, 23	May 4-5, 6 July 23-24, 25 Aug. 1	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	April 23-24 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 20-21, 22	June 4-5, 6 Sept. 7-8, 9	April 25-26 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 11-12, 13 Aug. 14-15, 16	May 14-15, 16 Aug. 17-18, 19	April 20-21, 22 July 2-3, 4
CALIFORNIA	May 4-5, 6 Aug. 6-7, 8	April 12-13, 14, 15 July 30-31 Aug. 1	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	June 8-9, 10 Sept. 24-25, 26	April 16-17, 18 July 27-28, 29	June 4-5, 6 Sept. 6-7, 8, 9	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	May 11-12, 13 Aug. 14-15, 16	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	April 20-21, 22 July 2-3, 4	May 14-15, 16 Aug. 17-18, 19	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 20-21, 22	April 23-24 July 5-6, 7, 8
TEXAS	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 10-11, 12, 13	June 22-23, 24 Sept. 17-18, 19 Aug. 1	June 18-19, 20 Sept. 21, 22, 23	June 12-13, 14, 15 Sept. 14-15, 16	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 28-29, 30	June 4-5, 6, 7 Sept. 7-8, 9	May 10-11, 12, 13 Aug. 13-14, 15	May 15-16, 17 Aug. 24-25, 26	April 10-12 July 19-20, 21, 22	April 23-24 June 28-29, 30 July 1	April 30 May 1-2 July 27-28, 29	April 27-28, 29 July 30-31 Aug. 1	April 20-21, 22 July 16-17, 18	April 17-18, 19 Aug. 3-4, 5
KANSAS CITY	June 12-13, 14 Sept. 14-15, 16	June 18-19, 20 Sept. 28-29, 30	June 22-23, 24 Sept. 17-18, 19, 20	May 28-29, 30 Aug. 16-17, 18, 19	May 31 June 1-2, 3 Sept. 10-11, 12	May 31 June 1-2, 3 Sept. 10-11, 12	May 14-15, 16 Aug. 31 Sept. 1-2	May 11-12, 13 July 27-28, 29	April 17-18 Aug. 3-4, 5(2)	April 20-21, 22 July 2-3, 4	May 4-5, 6 July 30-31 Aug. 1	April 10-11 July 5-6, 7, 8	April 23-24 July 12-13, 14, 15	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 20-21, 22
MINNESOTA	May 1-2, 3 Aug. 9-10, 11, 12	April 27-28, 29(2) Aug. 6-7, 8	May 7-8, 9 Aug. 2-3, 4, 5	June 12-13, 14 Sept. 14-15, 16	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 8-9, 10 Sept. 24-25, 26	May 11-12, 13 Aug. 21, 22, 23	April 23-24 June 29(2), 30 July 1	June 26-27 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	May 21, 22, 23 Aug. 31 Sept. 1, 2	April 20-21, 22 July 16-17, 18	April 10-12 July 19-20, 21, 22	May 28-29, 30 Aug. 7-10, 19
CHICAGO	June 18-19, 20 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 10-11, 12	June 12-13, 14 Sept. 14-15, 16	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 20-21, 22	May 21-22, 23 Aug. 24-25, 26, 27	June 22-23, 24 Sept. 17-18, 19, 20	April 17-19 Aug. 3-4, 5, 6	April 17-19 Aug. 3-4, 5, 6	April 20-21, 22 July 15-16, 17, 18	April 25-26 July 19-20, 21, 22	May 17-18, 19, 20 Aug. 28-29	April 2-4 July 12-13, 14, 15	April 13-14, 15 Aug. 7-8, 9	May 4-5, 6 July 24-25, 26
MILWAUKEE	April 6-7, 8 July 16-17, 18	April 3-4 July 19-20, 21, 22	April 10-11 July 12-13, 14, 15	May 22-23, 24 Aug. 31 Sept. 1-2	April 13-14, 15 Aug. 7-8, 9	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 13-14, 15	May 7-8, 9 Aug. 10-11, 12	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 27-28, 29, 30	June 21-22, 23, 24 Sept. 17-18, 19	May 28-29, 30 Aug. 17-18, 19	June 19-20 Sept. 20-21, 22, 23	June 4-5, 6 Sept. 7-8, 9	April 27-28, 29 July 30-31 Aug. 1-2	June 7-8, 9, 10 Sept. 10-11, 12
DETROIT	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 28-29, 30	May 28-29, 30 Aug. 31 Sept. 1-2	May 22-23, 24 Aug. 24-25, 26	April 25-26 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 7-8, 9 Aug. 10-11, 12	April 3-5 July 12-13, 14, 15	April 6-8 July 2-3, 4	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 24-25, 26	June 21-22, 23, 24 Sept. 14-15, 16	May 4-5, 6 July 23-24, 25, 26	June 11-12, 13 Sept. 7-8, 9	June 8-9(2), 10 Sept. 10-11, 12	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	April 13-15, 16 Aug. 6-7, 8
CLEVELAND	June 22-23, 24 Sept. 17-18, 19	June 12-13, 14 Sept. 14-15, 16	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 11-12, 13	April 3-5 July 12-13, 14, 15	April 6-7, 8 July 16-17, 18	June 19-20, 21 Sept. 21, 22, 23	April 10-11 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 27-28, 29, 30	April 27-28, 29 July 31 Aug. 1-2	May 25-26, 27(2) Aug. 21, 22, 23	May 25-26, 27(2) Aug. 21, 22, 23	April 30 May 1-2 July 27-28, 29	May 7-8, 9, 10 Aug. 3-4, 5	May 21-22, 23 Aug. 24-25, 26
TORONTO	April 4-5 July 19-20, 21, 22	April 9-10 July 12-13, 14, 15	April 6-7, 8 July 16-17, 18	April 13-14, 15 Aug. 6-7, 8	April 27-28, 29 July 23-24, 25	May 15-16 Aug. 24-25, 26, 27	May 15-16, 17 Sept. 24-25, 26	June 25(2), 26, 27 Sept. 28-29, 30	June 4-5, 6, 7 Sept. 14-15, 16	May 11-12, 13 Aug. 14-15, 16	June 11-12, 13 Sept. 7-8, 9	May 7-8, 9 Aug. 3-4, 5	June 8-9, 10 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 21-22, 23, 24 Sept. 24-25, 26
BALTIMORE	May 28-29, 30 Sept. 1-2	May 22-23, 24 Aug. 24-25, 26	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 27-28, 29	May 4-5, 6 July 23-24, 25	April 25-26 July 19-20, 21, 22	April 6-8 July 2-3, 4	April 23-24 July 1-3	June 11-12, 13, 14 Sept. 14-15, 16	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	April 14-15, 16 Aug. 6-7, 8, 9	April 17-18, 19 Aug. 10-11, 12, 13	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 17-18, 19	June 19-20 Sept. 27-28, 29, 30	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 28-29, 30
NEW YORK	May 22-23, 24 Aug. 24-25, 26	May 25-26, 27 Aug. 27-28, 29	April 6-7, 8 Sept. 1-2	April 6-7, 8 July 2-3, 4	April 24-25 June 29, 30 July 1	April 25-26 July 5-6, 7, 8	May 1-2 July 27-28, 29	May 4-5, 6 July 23-24, 25	June 18-19, 20 Sept. 21, 22, 23	April 17-18 Aug. 10-11, 12, 13	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 10-11, 12, 13	June 21-22, 23, 24 Sept. 24-25, 26	June 11-12, 13, 14 Sept. 7-8, 9	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 28-29, 30
BOSTON	April 10-11 July 12-13, 14, 15	April 6-7, 8 July 16-17, 18 Aug. 1	April 2-4, 5 July 20-21, 22	May 8-9 Aug. 9-10, 11, 12	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 28-29, 30	May 18-19, 20 Aug. 28-29, 30	June 1-2, 3 Sept. 3-4, 5	June 11-12, 13 Sept. 24-25, 26	May 1-2, 3 July 27(2), 28-29	May 14-15, 16, 17 Aug. 31 Sept. 1-2	June 15-16, 17 Sept. 17-18, 19	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 28-29, 30	June 4-5, 6 Sept. 14-15, 16	June 25-26, 27 Sept. 28-29, 30

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CHICAGO	June 5 [*] , 6 [*] , 7 [*] Aug. 9 [*] , 10 [*] , 11 [*] , 12 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	May 1 [*] , 2 [*] June 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 [*] (2) Sept. 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*]	May 1 [*] , 2 [*] June 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 [*] (2) Sept. 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*]	May 31 [*] June 1 [*] , 2 [*] , 3 July 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*]	April 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 June 8 [*] , 9 [*] , 10 Sept. 21 [*] , 22, 23	May 29 [*] , 30 [*] Aug. 30 [*] , 31 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 Sept. 1, 2	May 11 [*] , 12, 13 [*] Aug. 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 [*] Sept. 1, 2	April 9 [*] , 11 [*] June 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*] July 1	April 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 3, 5 [*] July 5 [*] , 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] Sept. 3, 4 [*]
MONTREAL	June 11, 12, 13 Aug. 2, 3, 4, 5 Sept. 12, 13	April 17, 18, 19 June 22 [*] , 23, 24 Sept. 21 [*] , 22, 23	April 17, 18, 19 June 22 [*] , 23, 24 Sept. 21 [*] , 22, 23	April 30 [*] May 1 [*] , 2 [*] June 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 Sept. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16	May 31 [*] June 1 [*] , 2 [*] , 3 July 30 [*] , 31 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 10 [*] , 11 [*]	April 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 June 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 [*] Sept. 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 2, 3 [*] , 4 [*] Sept. 2, 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 9 [*] , 10 [*] , 11 June 29 [*] , 30 [*] July 1	April 3 [*] , 4 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*]	May 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*]	May 11 [*] , 12, 13 Aug. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Sept. 1, 2
NEW YORK	April 13, 14, 15 Aug. 6, 7, 8 Sept. 14, 15, 16	April 23, 24, 25 June 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 [*] Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*]	April 23, 24, 25 June 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 [*] Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*]	April 20 [*] , 21, 22 June 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 [*] Sept. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] Aug. 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 10 [*] , 11 [*] July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 2, 4 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 11 [*] , 12, 13 Aug. 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 15 [*] , 16 Aug. 17 [*] , 18, 19(2) Sept. 1, 2
PHILADELPHIA	June 14, 15, 16, 17 July 30, 31 Aug. 1 Sept. 10, 11	April 13, 14, 15 Aug. 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] Sept. 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*]	April 13, 14, 15 Aug. 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] Sept. 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*]	April 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 8(2) [*] , 9 [*] , 10 Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*]	April 17, 18, 19 June 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] Aug. 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 3 [*] , 4 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21, 22 Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 11 [*] , 12 [*] , 13 Aug. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 18 [*] , 19, 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Sept. 1, 2
PITTSBURGH	April 20, 21, 22 June 25, 26, 27 Sept. 18, 19, 20	April 27, 28, 29 June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26	April 27, 28, 29 June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26	April 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 8(2) [*] , 9 [*] , 10 Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*]	April 17, 18, 19 June 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] Aug. 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 3 [*] , 4 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21, 22 Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 11 [*] , 12 [*] , 13 Aug. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 18 [*] , 19, 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Sept. 1, 2
ST. LOUIS	April 17, 18, 19 June 22, 23, 24 Sept. 28, 29, 30	April 27, 28, 29 June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26	April 27, 28, 29 June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26	April 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 8(2) [*] , 9 [*] , 10 Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*]	April 17, 18, 19 June 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] Aug. 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 3 [*] , 4 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21, 22 Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 6 [*] , 7, 8 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 11 [*] , 12 [*] , 13 Aug. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 18 [*] , 19, 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*] Sept. 1, 2
ATLANTA	May 22, 23, 24 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May 4 [*] , 5, 6 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*]	May 4 [*] , 5, 6 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*]	May 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 5 [*] , 6 [*] , 7, 8	May 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 Aug. 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*]	May 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Aug. 17 [*] , 18, 19 Sept. 1, 2	May 25 [*] , 26, 27, 28 [*] Aug. 28 [*] , 29 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 11 [*] , 12, 13 Aug. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Sept. 1, 2	April 27 [*] , 28, 29 [*] July 30 [*] , 31 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 10 [*] , 11 [*] , 12 [*]	June 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9, 10 July 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*] Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 June 11 [*] , 12 [*] Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 July 27 [*] , 28, 29 Sept. 7 [*] , 8, 9
CINCINNATI	May 25, 26, 27, 28 Aug. 28, 29	May 9 [*] , 10 July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15	May 9 [*] , 10 July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15	May 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 July 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 [*] Aug. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*]	May 18 [*] , 19 [*] , 20 Aug. 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 [*] Sept. 1, 2	April 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*] June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Sept. 19 [*] , 20 [*]	April 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 [*] June 11 [*] , 12 [*] , 13 [*] Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	April 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15 [*] June 11 [*] , 12 [*] , 13 [*] Sept. 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] July 27 [*] , 28, 29 Sept. 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9	June 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9, 10 July 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*] Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	April 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21, 22 June 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]
HOUSTON	May 18, 19, 20 Aug. 20, 21, 22	May 7 [*] , 8 July 5 [*] , 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8	May 7 [*] , 8 July 5 [*] , 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8	April 10, 11 [*] June 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*] July 1	May 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] Aug. 17 [*] , 18 [*] , 19 Sept. 1, 2	May 21 [*] , 22 [*] , 23 Aug. 31 [*] Sept. 1 [*] , 2	April 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 June 25(2) [*] , 26 [*] , 27 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	May 1 [*] , 2 [*] , 3 Aug. 10 [*] , 11 [*] , 12 Sept. 28 [*] , 29, 30	April 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 1 [*] , 2 [*] , 3 Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*]	June 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 [*] July 27 [*] , 28(2) [*] , 29 Sept. 7 [*] , 9	June 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9, 10 July 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*] Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	June 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9, 10 July 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*] Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]
LOS ANGELES	May 9, 10 July 12, 13, 14, 15	May 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*] Aug. 31 [*] Sept. 1, 2	May 25 [*] , 26, 27 Aug. 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 [*]	May 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 [*] Aug. 24 [*] , 25, 26	May 4 [*] , 5, 6 July 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*]	May 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*]	June 22 [*] , 23, 24 Aug. 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*] Sept. 17 [*] , 18 [*]	June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] Aug. 3 [*] , 4, 5 Sept. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16	April 16 [*] , 17 [*] , 18 [*] June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 [*] Sept. 19 [*] , 20 [*]	April 26 [*] , 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 July 30 [*] , 31 [*] Aug. 1 [*] Sept. 11 [*] , 12 [*]	April 30 [*] May 1 [*] , 2 Aug. 10 [*] , 11, 12 Sept. 21 [*] , 22, 23	April 30 [*] May 1 [*] , 2 Aug. 10 [*] , 11, 12 Sept. 21 [*] , 22, 23
SAN DIEGO	May 4, 5, 6 July 16, 17, 18	May 22 [*] , 23 [*] Aug. 24(2) [*] , 25 [*] , 26	May 28, 29 [*] , 30 [*] Aug. 31 [*] Sept. 1 [*] , 2	May 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 Aug. 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 [*]	May 7 [*] , 8 [*] July 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] , 22 [*]	May 9 [*] , 10 July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14 [*] , 15	May 1 [*] , 2 [*] , 3 [*] Aug. 10 [*] , 11 [*] , 12 Sept. 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30	June 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 Aug. 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*] Sept. 17 [*] , 18	June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] Aug. 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16	April 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21, 22 June 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 [*] Sept. 3 [*] , 4 [*]	April 17 [*] , 18 June 1 [*] , 2, 3(2) Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26	April 17 [*] , 18 June 1 [*] , 2, 3(2) Sept. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26
SAN FRANCISCO	May 7, 8 July 19, 20, 21, 22	May 25 [*] , 26 [*] , 27 Aug. 27 [*] , 28 [*] , 29 [*]	May 22 [*] , 23 [*] , 24 [*] Aug. 24 [*] , 25 [*] , 26 [*]	May 28 [*] , 29 [*] , 30 [*] Aug. 31 [*] Sept. 1 [*] , 2	May 9 [*] , 10 July 12 [*] , 13 [*] , 14, 15 Sept. 1, 2	May 4 [*] , 5 [*] , 6 Aug. 2 [*] , 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 5 [*] , 6 [*]	June 19 [*] , 20 [*] , 21 [*] Aug. 3 [*] , 4 [*] , 5 Sept. 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16	April 27 [*] , 28, 29(2) July 31 [*] Sept. 1 [*] , 2 [*]	June 23 [*] , 24 [*] Aug. 6 [*] , 7 [*] , 8 [*] , 9 [*] Sept. 17 [*] , 18 [*]	April 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Sept. 19 [*] , 20	April 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Sept. 19 [*] , 20	April 23 [*] , 24 [*] , 25 [*] June 14 [*] , 15 [*] , 16 [*] , 17 Sept. 19 [*] , 20

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